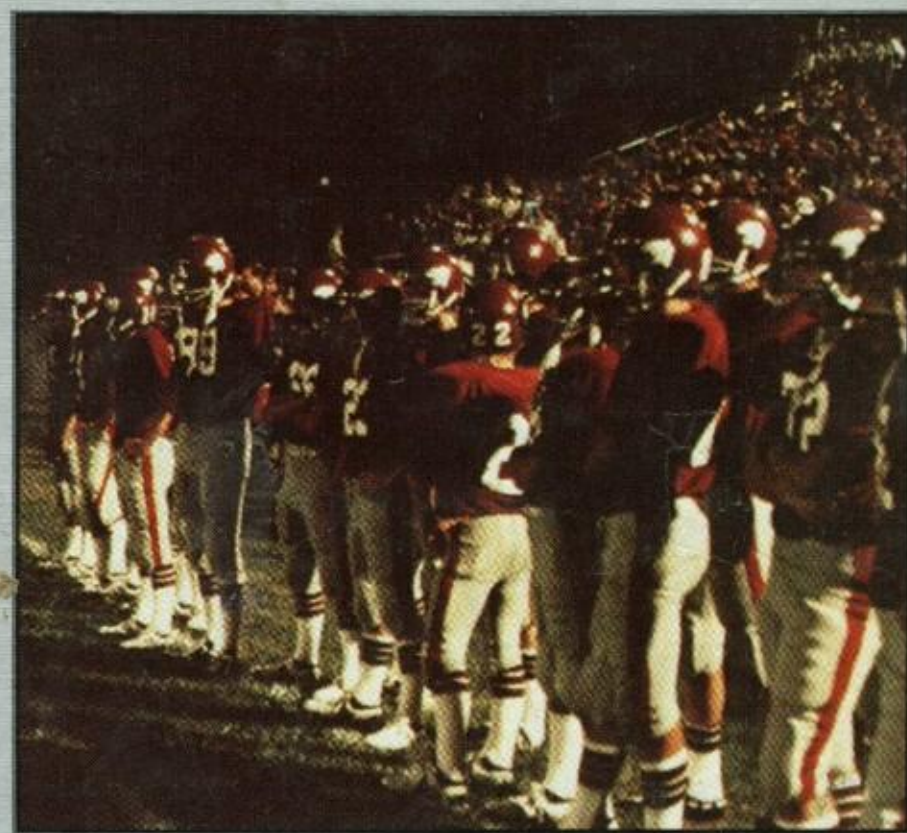




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# Panther 1981



VIOLET KELLEY











Violet  
to a really  
sweet girl  
the best in  
the world  
K. 83

Violet  
to someone I've known  
for a long time. I hope you  
have a good year. Good luck  
with Dick, I'm sure you  
don't need it. Stay sweet!  
"43"

To a Violet  
I've never known  
since I've kindergarden  
Richardson

Violet,  
you a really neat  
girl and a great  
friend. Remember  
all the good times,  
+ Home Ec. I.  
Friends always  
Marsha

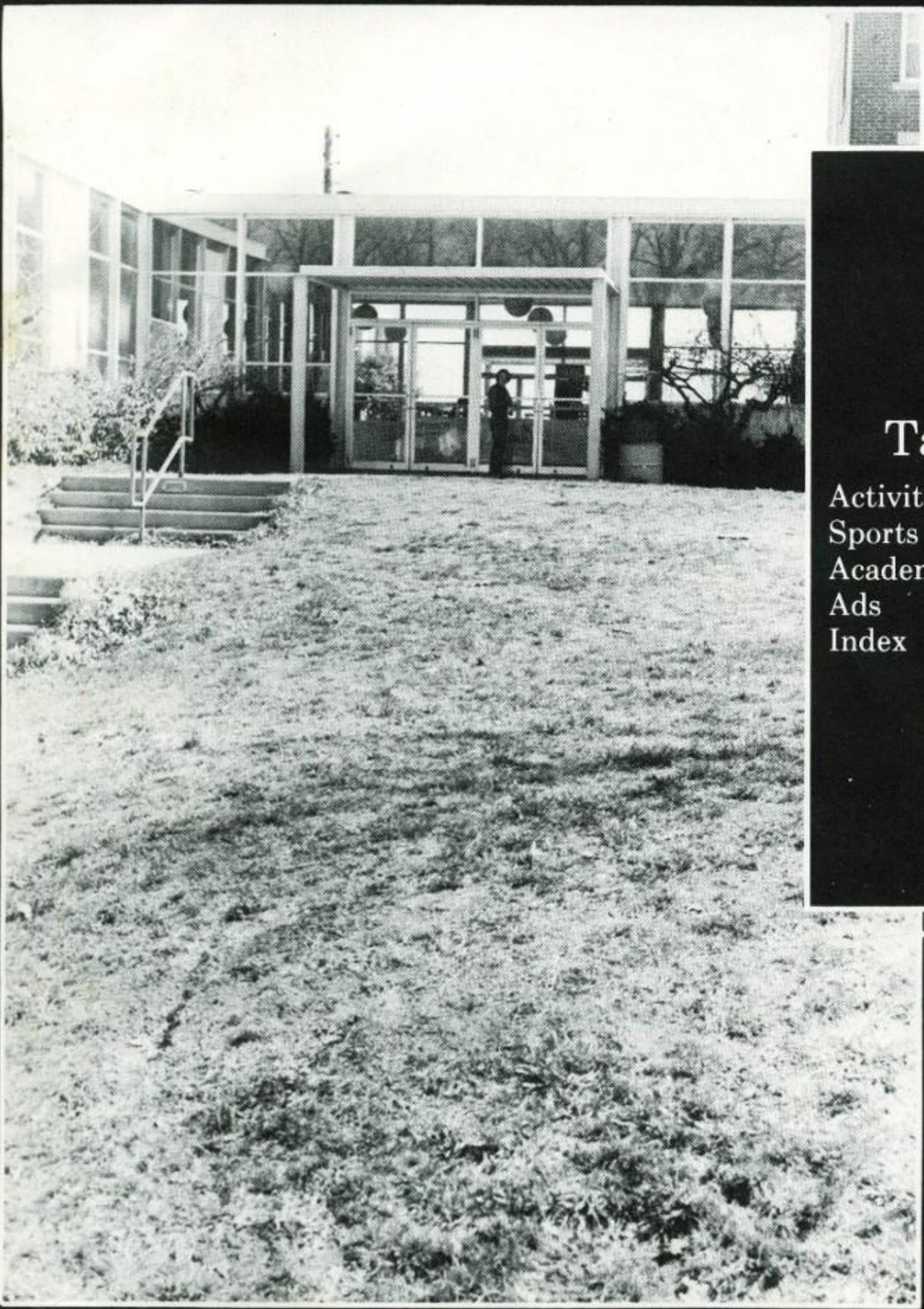
Violet  
to a really nice  
girl. you will  
do good in life  
if you stay nice.  
good luck  
Love Derrick

in life to a really  
nice girl. I hope  
you will give that  
friend a good luck  
friend.  
Derrick

and good luck  
to a really nice  
girl. you will  
do good in life  
if you stay nice.  
good luck  
Love Derrick



**MGHS Panther presents...**



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Mountain Grove, Missouri  
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No matter who you talk to at MGHS,  
they will tell you these are .....

# The best of times

In most small towns the high school becomes the focal point of the community. After providing an academic education during the weekdays, the school becomes the source of nightly and weekend entertainment. Mountain Grove followed suit.

As the 1980-81 school year opened its doors in 100° weather the daily class routine of study and perspiration was offered relief through the interruption of club meetings, a major source of student activities.

Money raising activi-

ties immediately got underway. Selling everything from a spaghetti spoon to a box of stationery the necessary funds were raised.

FTA brought in \$940 for the Cerebral Palsy Telethon, Student Council

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*Taking it nice and easy is the way Mark Harris likes to skate. It seems to keep him standing on his feet instead of falling on the floor.*

*After an exciting day on a club trip to Springfield, Violet Caldwell decides to stop for a nice cool treat before returning home.*







Lanora Williams and Stanley Allamong enjoy lunch at a very popular hangout, the Sonic.

One of the many highlights of the Homecoming festivities is the annual Homecoming parade in which everyone enjoys.

A nice spring day offers the cheerleaders a chance to prepare routines for the upcoming games outside for a change.

Suzy Proctor and Terri Green portray their true identity while participating in the Journalism Club's haunted house.



Violent,  
To a very nice friend.  
Stay Sweet. Smile ☺  
Kam





# The best of times

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paid for the bands at the dances and most clubs managed to pay for a trip or two.

During the fund raising the Mountain Grove community pulled through despite the inflationary times. They bought the spaghetti spoons, they purchased ad space totaling \$5,500 to help pay for the Panther yearbook and in a weeks time managed to

raise \$880 to pay for a new P.A. system.

Student participation created the spirit in the school. Each person donated some time to their aspect. Some cheered, many were involved in band, others played in the games. Several participated by making floats for the parades, electing queens and simply attending the events.

When the students

weren't at school or at a ballgame they were often working, taking responsibility for part of their expenses. Seventy-five percent of the high school students have jobs with the majority of them working at Town & Country followed by Richards Brothers, A & W, Sonic and The Hayloft.

The most frequent night activities were the sports events.

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Robert Villianueva finds the library is a place to check out books and a helpful resource in class projects.







*Working at Town & Country provides Todd Bledsoe with money to do the things he enjoys.*

*Scott Lafevers is fearlessly trying to overcome his opponent Tracy Collins in the FFA arm wrestling tournament.*

*While working at the Pizza Hut, Sue Danburg washes a few dishes in her spare time.*

*What started out to be a gloomy day was brightened by talking to a good friend as Racheal Sparbel found in talking to Jeff Goodman.*





# The best of times

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Energy, enthusiasm, excitement, intensity and inspiration; they are a part of sports, which is a big part of high school. Just being a spectator and seeing the home team win is a thrill in itself. Just imagine how the competitors feel.

Early in the year, while football raged on, the volleyballers quietly built up a 13-7 record; exciting whatever fans that showed up.

Cross Country added to the zeal as nine runners qualified for state competition.

As the seasons changed so did sports and it was basketball season. And what a sea-

son it was!

The girls produced a 20-6 record and the boys assembled 22 victories while losing only four games by a total of five points.

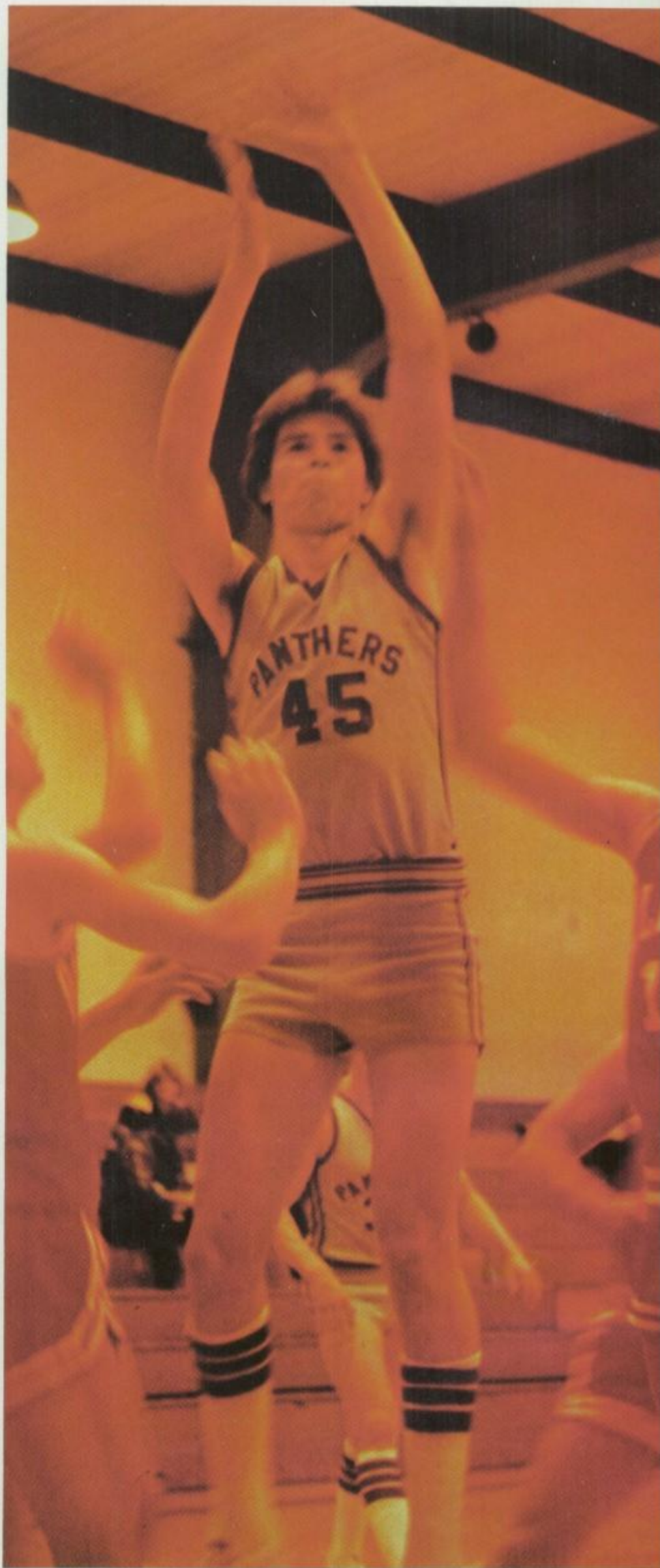
The girls made it to the state playoffs by winning the regional tournament, while the boys tied for first place in the conference with Willow Springs.

When basketball came to a close and spring sports began, a new form of Panthers emerged. Whether these new athletes swing bats or circle tracks the same energy, enthusiasm, excitement, intensity and inspiration keep showing up.

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*During a time out the volleyball team plans out a new strategy.*



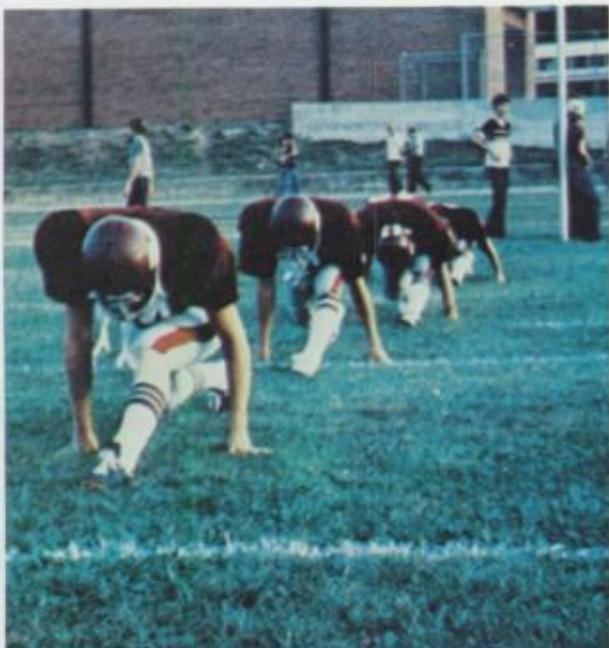


Steve Phillips shows his form as he shoots another two points for the Mountain Grove Panthers.

Warming up before a game is important in football as it is in any sport.

In a home cross country meet Craig Kjellberg and Bill Freeman push themselves to the finish line.

Height proves to be a definite advantage when it comes to going for the rebound as shown by Kim Penner.



While waiting for the rebound, Barry Ward blocks out his opponent.

Jobeth Spurgeon can not decide whether to pass or dribble the ball.





# The best of times

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Not to be outdone by sports, others were competing for recognition.

The Mountain Grove FFA chapter's livestock judging team consisting of Kim Smith, Kelley Schudy, Karen Coble and Jeff Thornhill, won first place at the National Western Livestock Show in Denver, Colorado.

Chosen from Mountain Grove for the SCA Select Band were Lori Penner, Rebecca Clary, Donald Rogers and Greg Mitchell. Approximately 82 students from area schools competed.

The math team placed first in their division by a 30 point margin at a School of the Ozarks math league Dec. 6. They missed a first place overall by only half a point.

This was just one out of several high rankings for the math team.

Speech students added honors March 7 in

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*The FBLA contest held in Mountain Grove gave these students a chance to show their skills with Denise Schilling receiving 1st place in Clerk Typing, Jobeth Spurgeon taking 1st place in Stenography, Kim Wade receiving 2nd place in Accounting II and Tracy Hicks being chosen for District Historian.*

SCA competition at Salem.

FBLA also showed their skills at the District contest at Mtn. Grove. Three students pulled ahead of the competition to win awards. They were Denise Schilling, Kim Wade and Jobeth Spurgeon.

These are a mere sampling of the student's achievements during the MGHS 1980-81 school year.

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*While attending the National Western Livestock Show in Denver, Colorado Kim Smith, Jeff Thornhill, Karen Coble and Kelley Schudy placed first in livestock judging.*







The SCA speech contest gave these students a chance to show their speaking ability. Row 1 - Britia Moritz, Bruce Moore. Row 2 - Tommy Emery, Rhonda Baney, Rebecca Clary, Joe Hirsch. Row 3 - Lisa Moseley, Cody McIntosh, Sheila Burnett and Mr. Baney - sponsor.

A few of the students excelling in the Math department are from left to right - Linda Carter, Rob Walsh, Greg Mitchell, Raminder Sandhu, Kim Wade, Dale Crandall, and Rhonda McCully standing by the departments new computer.

Marcia Peterson, a very active member of FHA, now serves as National Committee Member.





# The best of times

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While the students of Mountain Grove were involved in a multitude of activities they were also conscious of their appearances. After all high school serves as a means of social interaction as well as an educational institution.

Each year boasts of a style and 1980 was no exception. There were two dominant fashions.

The preppy look offered jeans by designers such as Calvin Klein, Gloria Vanderbilt, Sassoon and Jordache at prices never before paid for a pair of blue jeans.

Worn with these jeans which flaunted a designer's label was usually a wool sweater worn over an oxford shirt or a blouse which tied around the collar with a piece of lace or ribbon.

Wool slacks and skirts, often pleated, were also popular items.

A major influence on fashion was the movie "Urban Cowboy" star-

ring John Travolta.

As the movie premiered in the theaters, so did cowboy hats, boots, Levis, vests and Western belt buckles in the clothing store windows across the country.

Along with the rugged garb came the prices. Cowboy boots made out of everything from basic cowhide to snake and ostrich skin cost anywhere from \$50 to hundreds of dollars.

Second to boots

expense and flair was the hat; not a plain hat, but displayed with every type of feather and design imaginable. The hat carried a price tag from \$25 to as much as one would want to spend.

Styles will change but 1980 will have had its own look.



*Wool skirts were very popular during the 1980-81 school year as modeled by Lori Todd.*

*Kim Smith, Lynne Grandall, Sarah Williams and Lori Penner discuss an assignment before classes begin while attired in the latest fashions.*

*The Western look was worn by the gals as well as the guys as Shelly Whitewill shows.*





Mountain Grove people have been donning the cowboy attire long before John Travolta ever 4-wheeled down the highways of Texas in Levis, Stetson and cowboy boots.

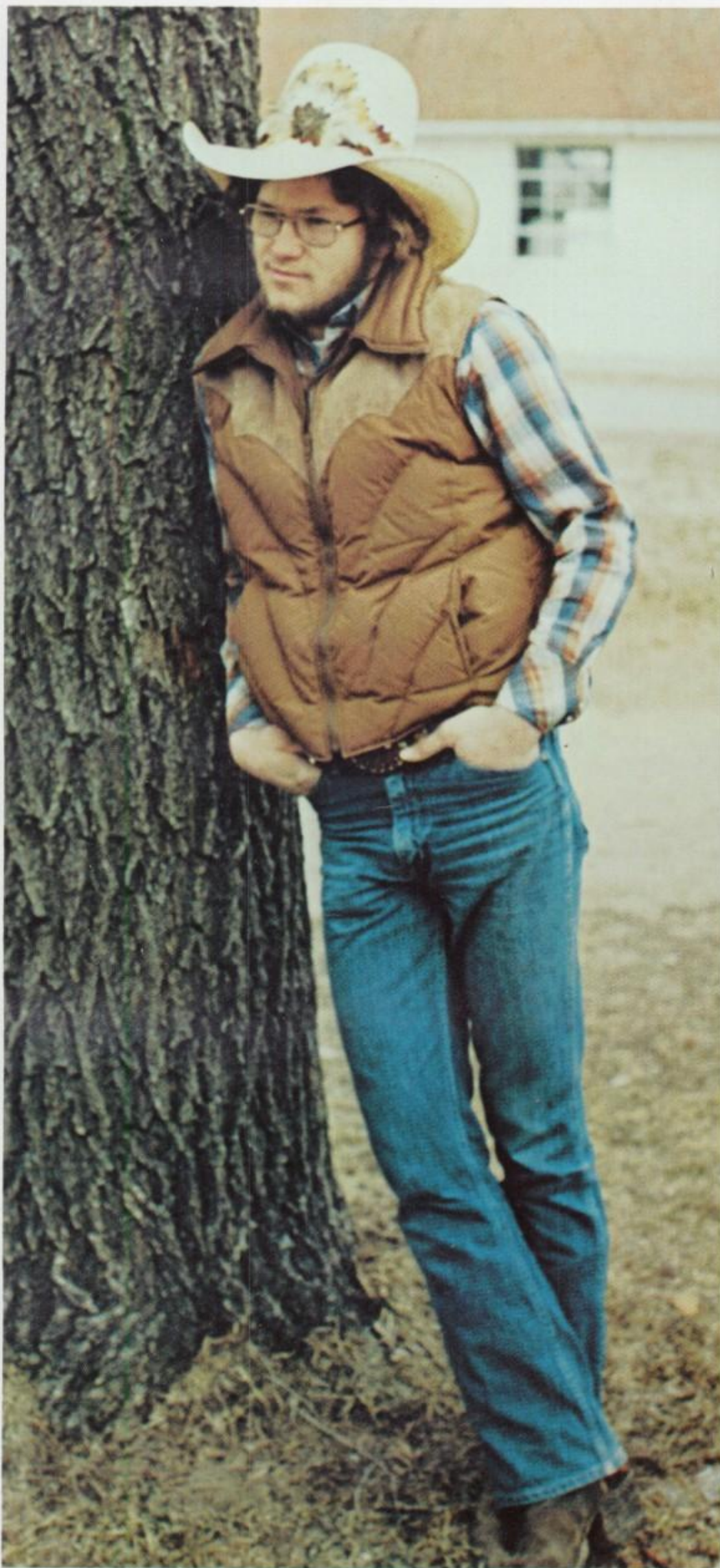
Living in the rural town of Mtn. Grove with farming a major occupation for the area has made boots, hats, blue jeans and 4-wheel drive pick-up trucks a necessity rather than a fashion.

Art Taylor shows off the Western look that has been in Mtn. Grove for ages.

Top sider shoes and sweaters are a combination of the preppy look which Jeff Yoakum and Cara Wright wear often.

Liz Ward and Tara Mayer model the new baggy look which provides a classy but comfortable look to wear anytime.

This is a typical outfit worn not only by Clay Freeman but by many students at MGHS.









# Go for it Go for it Go for it



Denise Delcour, sophomore attendant, and Robbie Clary share a convertible during the Homecoming festivities.

Fans show their spirit at District Finals.

Carmon Davidson finds some classwork boring.

## Activities

Life at MGHS keeps one busy but also provides students with the fun and excitement that goes with being a high school student.

Every student wants to be a part of something and the clubs and organizations at MGHS provides students with many ways to get involved in the activities.

Band and chorus bring about a challenge with a lot

of hard work and a sense of pride for every participant. Clubs such as FFA and FBLA give students a chance to use special skills. The Homecoming, Christmas, and Hoop Queen festivities provide extra enthusiasm while the highlight of the year is the annual Junior-Senior prom. These special activities are what keeps life at MGHS memorable and rewarding.

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# Homecoming falling on Halloween created the theme, Strangers in the night.

Because the 1980 Homecoming fell on Halloween, the atmosphere was even more electrifying than usual.

The day began with some of the teachers dressed up in the Halloween spirit. Many students mocked the 50's by wearing long skirts, bobby socks and greased hair since it was 50's day, the last day of "Spirit Week."

The excitement was enhanced further by the fired-up pep assembly and being let out of school early for the parade.

Presented in the Homecoming parade were the attendants and their escorts. They were seniors Elaine Dalton and Kevin Prewitt, Paula Rorie and Russell Lawson, Lori Penner and Jeff Vinger, juniors Terri Christensen and Pat Rodery, sophomores Denise Delcour and Lanny Robertson and freshmen Barbara Harrington and Dennis Klarenbeek.

Also featured in the parade were twirlers Suzy Proctor, Terri Green, Nancy Smith and Teri Woods, the MGHS Marching Band led by senior drum majorette Liz Ward, along with the flashy Homecoming floats.

Several floats followed the Halloween theme such as the grand prize winning FFA float, "Roll the Bulldogs."

That evening, the Panthers clawed the Cabool Bulldogs with a slashing 36-16 victory. With it being Homecoming, the Panthers sparkled with spirit.

In an effort to make their last home game an exciting one, the team showed their outstanding

talent with Robert Douglass, Chris Adams, Randy Gaddis, Kenny Pridemore, Steve Douglass and Steve Frazee all boosting the score higher.

With everyone in anticipation of the crowning, the attendants walked out in full royalty at halftime. The 1979 Homecoming queen, Miss Martha Peterson, passed her title to 1980's Miss Elaine Dalton. Elaine is involved in Science Club and plans to go to Burge School of Nursing after high school.

The popular band, "Full Circle" certainly wasn't a "Stranger in the Night" since they returned for the sixth time to perform for another MGHS dance.

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*Knowing she had a good chance of winning, senior attendant Paula Rorie waves to the crowd.*



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*The MGHS Marching Panther Band makes their yearly appearance in the Homecoming parade.*



## Full Circle

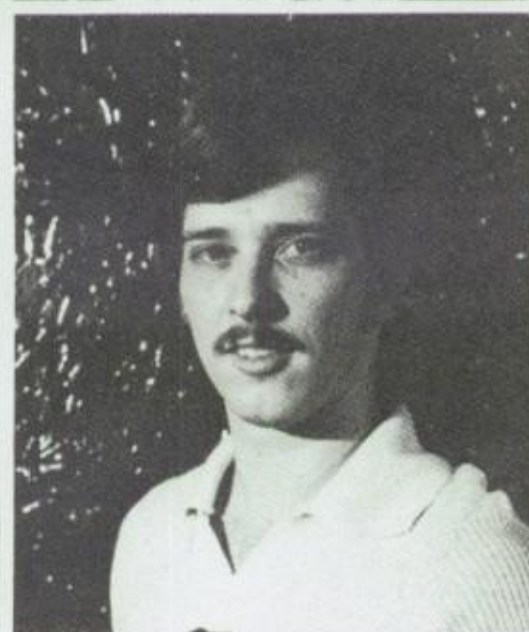
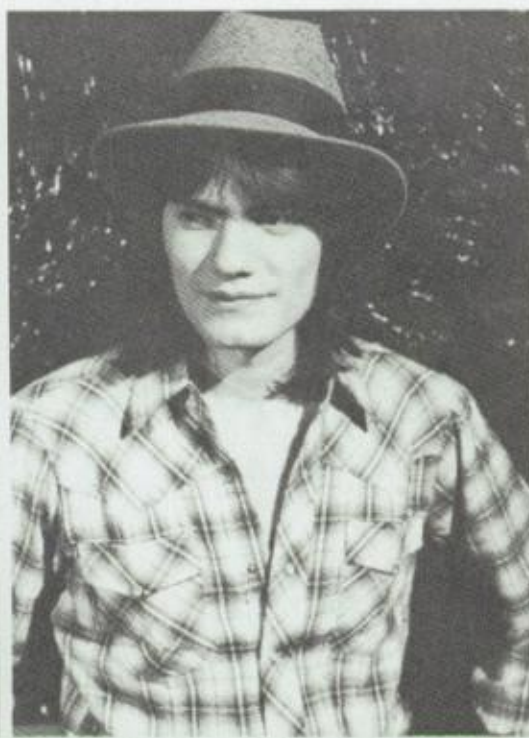
Full Circle, one of the most outstanding area bands is a big favorite at MGHS. Although they play mainly for high schools, they also play for clubs, and just about anybody who gets rowdy and makes them excited enough to come back.

Vocalist Mike Powers remarked, "One reason we came back to Mountain Grove is because we played at your last year's Prom and everybody got so enthusiastic. If you keep that up, we'll always come back!"

Full Circle has existed for six years and the six members, Mike Powers, Lyndel Navarro, Darrell McWhirter, Roger Hunt, Kathy Davis, and Clark Bradley, originated in the Joplin area. "We don't do it for the money; we all have other jobs," said one band member. They play for their own satisfaction, the roar of the crowd, and the frenzied atmosphere.

Full Circle plays a lot of Lynyrd Skynyrd, Donna Summer, Blondie, the Doobie Brothers, and all the popular hits, so one can see why this group is often requested.

*One of the candidates was senior Lori Penner. Lori is in National Honor Society and President of F.T.A.*





# Elaine Dalton - 1980 Homecoming Queen

*The 1980 Homecoming Queen is Elaine Dalton.*

*The 1979 Homecoming Queen, Martha Peterson, passed her crown to 1980's Elaine Dalton who was escorted by Kevin Prewitt.*

*Homecoming royalty includes Barbara Harrington, Denise Delcour, Terri Christensen, Paula Rorie, Elaine Dalton and Lori Penner. The flower girl is Joneal Robertson and the crown bearer is Jason Blevins.*







*The Homecoming attendants are senior Paula Rorie, junior Terri Christensen, senior Lori Penner, sophomore Denise Delcour and freshman Barbara Harrington.*

*The flower girl and boy are Joneal Robertson and Jason Blevins.*







Senior Co-captain Denise Fish, senior Janet Robertson, junior Kecia Sanders, junior Debe Peterson, junior Sherry Housley, senior Co-captain Bridget Courtney.



Varsity Football Cheerleaders: Row 1 - Sherry Housley and Kecia Sanders. Row 2 - Co-captains Denise Fish and Bridget Courtney. Row 3 - Janet Robertson, Lisa Hovatter and Debe Peterson.







## Lisa Hovatter, mascot

Inside the furry, black uniform with long tail and floppy ears, strides Lisa Hovatter, mascot, the pride of MGHS. As she reaches the court, she smiles at the roaring crowd. Her duty is to spread spirit and make people smile.

Although the cheerleaders are very important, the Panther mascot is an extra boost in school spirit. Along with the cheerleaders, Lisa spends a lot of time practicing. She's also the announcer at the pep assemblies. Lisa commented, "It was a very fun and unique experience for me and I'm proud to have gotten the chance to be the mascot."



# Screaming for the Panthers

## It's easy when you're a Panther fan

Behind the smooth routines lies a lot of hard work. Many long hours are spent practicing cheers, but the enthusiasm comes naturally.

For the first year a cheerleading class was instructed by

Mrs. June Shannon which gave the cheerleaders an opportunity to prepare for upcoming games. More time was spent spreading spirit throughout the school with posters and Panther pins. Days were spent working on

gymnastics, pyramids and working on evaluation.

One Panther cheerleader, Kecia Sanders, commented, "It's a good experience. Although it's hectic at times, I still enjoy it."

*Varsity Basketball Cheerleaders:* Row 1 - sophomore Captain Denise Delcours, sophomore Darlene Crisp, sophomore Sandy Fish, Senior High Panther Mascot Lisa Hovatter. Row 2 - sophomore Co-captain Kim Collins, sophomore Linda Carter, sophomore Teresa Hopkins.



# Screaming for the Panthers

It shows that you're a Panther fan

The spirit leaders for the seventh, eighth and ninth graders are the junior high cheerleaders. A lot of action shows that they are Panther fans. Along with the senior high, they put out loads of energy practicing in the cheer-leading class.

Many hours are spent cheering at the junior high games and supporting at the senior high games. Their spirit club has really increased in size this year and is the main voice at the pep assemblies and games. Yes, the junior high really rates a "10" in enthusiasm.

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*Freshman Cheerleading Squad:* Row 1 - Diane Doughty, Shenan Gerald, Kelly Thornhill. Row 2 - Barbara Harrington, Kelly Hefner, Kelly Warren, Tracy Hicks.

*Senior High Spirit Club:* Row 1 - Sponsor Beverly Breedlove, Margaret Miller, Robin Hicks, Marsha Stofer, Debe Peterson, Sponsor Ruth Cooper. Row 2 - Lisa Martin, Denise Fish, Bridget Courtney, Kecia Sanders, Janet Robertson, Sherry Housley. Row 3 - Denise Delcour, Linda Carter, Teresa Hopkins, Darlene Crisp, Sandy Fish, Kim Collins. Row 4 - Jana Clary, Tammy Bell, Marla Douglass, Teresa Millsap, Tara Mayer.







*Junior High cheerleaders Brenda Wade, Kelly Warren, Pam Carter and Delinda Deaton practice for an upcoming game.*

*Seventh and eighth grade cheerleaders are mascot Kelly Warren, Jonett Crandall, Robin Mayer, Andrea Upshaw, Pam Carter and Delinda Deaton.*

*Pep Club Members: Row 1 - Sponsor Mrs. Cooper, President Jan Ward, Vice President Missy Coonts, Secretary Lynda Douglass, Sponsor Beverly Breedlove. Row 2 - Shenan Gerald, Tracy Hicks, Diane Doughty, Lisa Warren, Kelly Hefner, Andrea Upshaw, Jonett Crandall, Delinda Deaton, Robin Mayer, Pam Carter, Kelly Warren. Row 3 - Kim Hungerford, Margaret Hicks, Annette Crisp, Shirlene Knotts, Jeneate Chainey, Cathy Crewse, Marsha Long, Sheila Stigall, Page McGowan, Burbon Owens, Tina Glenn, Roland Honeycutt. Row 4 - Debbie Gourley, Pauline Hicks, Jenny Hultz, Christy Seymore, Lori Peterson, Marla Bushong, JoAnn Middleton, Julie Dawson, Robin LaRue, Barbara Cline, John Hopkins, James Belt. Row 5 - Leslie*

*Hilt, Diane Delcour, Lisa Martin, Jenny Spreitzer, Charlotte Rhodes, Chris Gardner, Shelly Wilkerson, Anna Marie Trowbridge, Michele Frost, Christy Thornhill. Row 6 - Karen Hyde, Lou Ann Ray, Michele Hutsell, Christine Gloth, Lee Clinton, Ann Duey, Linda Chaney, Danny Smart, Kim Harris, Tonya Friend. Row 7 - Kerry Dunn, Chris Holifield, Tina Wade, Tommy Nash, Kelly Hasek, Lisa Carter, Suzy Sheldon, Ray Mabe, Steve Hall, John Douglass, Mark Schuester, Brent Halford, David Turner. Row 8 - Jimmy Cannon, David Elliott, Doyle Holt, Sandy Leighty, Pam Moore, Chad Adams, Chance Sanders, Russel Delcour, Joe Shannon, William Brown, Mark Hasek, Mike Hyde, Chris Ray.*



# The sights and sounds of Christmas made these Times to remember

On December 6, the air was brisk as everyone waited in anticipation for the Christmas parade to come around the corner. Although they were all excited to see Santa Claus, they anxiously awaited the crowning of Miss Merry Christmas.

The lights added a special glow and softness to the many beautiful floats and showed the true beauty of everyone. Christmas carols added a warm place in the hearts of all.

Although all were equally qualified, the Miss Merry Christmas crown was given to senior Marcia Peterson. Escorted by Tracy Todd, she graciously accepted her crown and a kiss.

Accompanying Marcia in royalty were junior Sheri Fields escorted by Jeff Stofer, sophomore Darlene Crisp escorted by Steven Douglass and freshman Lori Peterson escorted by Tommy Ellis. The flower girl and boy were Stephanie Farver and Morgan Brown.

The Christmas dance followed on December 19 with Joe Hirsh as the disc jockey. Because of difficulties, at times there was no music, but most students made the best of it. Even though it didn't turn out as well as expected, the Christmas dance is a memory to keep.

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*1980 Miss Merry Christmas is Marcia Peterson.*







'80 Christmas Royalty includes junior Sheri Fields, freshman Lori Peterson and sophomore Darlene Crisp. The flower girl and boy are Stephanie Farver and Morgan Brown.





With many hard, long hours practicing, memorizing and expressing their parts, the Drama students really got

## Into their roles

The 1980 school play "They'd Hang You in Nashville" is a mini-musical comedy written by William Gleason. It was presented by the Theatrical Arts Department November 20 and 21.

The story takes place in a run-down apartment in modern Middletown, U.S.A. and the time is the present. The play is centered around two college graduates, Stanley Gorman (Kevin Prewett) and Bob Jefferson (Tom Emery), who decide to make it on their own by Stan writing country-western music.

The two college graduates discover that life isn't as easy on their own as they had thought it would be. They have a lot of trouble with an unhappy, unpaid landlord and

to make things worse, an overweight country singer, who's running from the law, moves in with them.

The results proved that all of the students that participated put forth a lot of effort.

Joy Cain commented, "It's a funny play and it had a lot of talented people behind it."

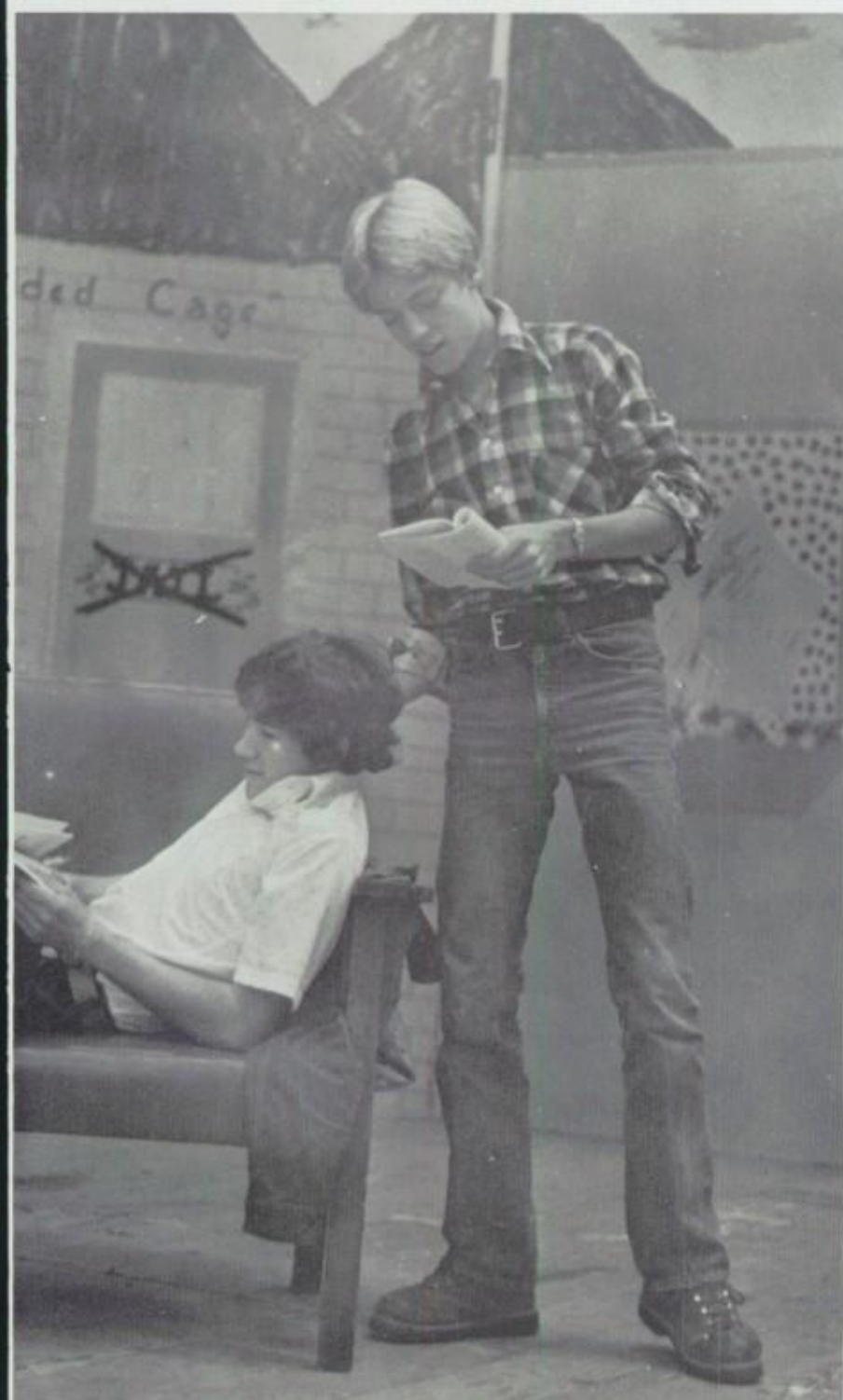
Tom Emery said, "I loved it. It was real fun."

*Theatrical Arts Department:* Row 1 - Mr. Larry Baney, Rebecca Clary, Sheila Burnett, Bruce Moore. Row 2 - Beverlie Hough, Michelle Foster, Yvonne Heim, Loren Roe. Row 3 - Cindy Burnside, Cody McIntosh, Lisa Moseley, Connie Winsor, Laura Hoover, Mike Tollison. Row 4 - Laura Foster, Joy Cain, Tom Emery, Kevin Prewett, Sue Danburg.





Tom Emery, Cody McIntosh and Kevin Prewett work on perfecting their roles in the play.



As Loren Roe and Kevin Prewett have found out, acting takes a lot of energy and enthusiasm.

## They'd Hang You In Nashville

### Cast:

Stanley Gorman .....	Kevin Prewett
Bob Jefferson .....	Tom Emery
Ernie Grelling .....	Cody McIntosh, Loren Roe
Bobbie Joe Pickens .....	Sheila Burnett
Sally Pastorini .....	Joy Cain, Lisa Moseley
Mort Sellers .....	Bruce Moore
Brock Tabore .....	Mike Tollison, Yvonne Heim
Elvira .....	Sue Danburg, Beverlie Hough
Salesman/Messenger .....	Laura Foster, Yvonne Heim
Aged Ladies .....	Cindy Burnside, Michelle Foster, Laura Hoover, Beverlie Hough

### Programs:

Beverlie Hough  
Nancy Coats  
Sheila Burnett  
Rebecca Clary

### Costumes:

Sheila Burnett-Ch.  
Laura Foster  
Cindy Burnside  
Mike Tollison

### Publicity:

Beverlie Hough-Ch.  
Bruce Moore  
Sue Danburg

### Make-up:

Lisa Moseley-Ch.  
Laura Hoover  
Connie Winsor  
Loren Roe

### Lights/Curtain:

Cindy Burnside  
Joe Hirsch-overhead spot

### Choreography/Music:

Rebecca Clary-Ch.  
Yvonne Heim  
Michelle Foster  
Stephanie Hutchison-piano asst.

### Sound Effects:

Rhonda Baney

### Set Crew:

Kevin Prewett-Ch.  
Tom Emery  
Cody McIntosh  
Joy Cain

### Stage Crew:

Cindy Burnside  
Sue Danburg  
Beverlie Hough  
Rhonda Baney

### House:

#### Ushers:

Donna Carter  
Tonya Knotts  
David Richardson  
Ray Benthall  
Jimmy Cannon  
Debbie Browning  
Diane Doughty  
Dale Rader

### Programs:

Britia Moritz

### Tickets:

Kevin Martin  
Beverlie Hough

### Refreshment:

Judy Crandall  
Geraine Hutchison





## The shiny musical instruments and the glittery uniforms added to The sparkle of the band

Stepping in perfect timing the Mountain Grove Panther Marching Band marched out onto the field. Their clean crisp uniforms accented the night air. Although the band had shrank from about 60 members to 50 the band still presented good entertainment. The band plans to increase it's size next year as cadet band members join.

Along with the music makers, the twirlers, drum majorette and flag corps played

a large function in the band. Their hard practiced routines were eyecatchers to the audience.

Determination and enthusiasm were much needed qualities in a band member. Those who were in band had to make sacrifices for the many hours needed to be their best. Sometimes the band practiced up to two or three hours a day, giving it all they had. Coming off the field after a performance, knowing they did a good job, made the band members feel like they had accomplished something. It takes a person with special qualities to be in band.

*Twirlers: Row 1 - Terri Green, Teri Woods. Row 2 - Captain Suzy Proctor, Nancy Smith.*

## Liz Ward

Being Drum Majorette was quite an experience and something I will always remember. Everyone in band has been really fun and we had a good time even on the 90° practice days of the -20° parades.

All in all the year went smoothly. I'm not saying it was perfect; we all made some mistakes. I remember our first football halftime performance. I blew my whistle to tell them to play and had forgotten to tell them to put their horns up — talk about wanting to hide.

The band has always been a group I was proud to be part of and I hope I did as much for them as they did for me.



*Voice of the Panther Band Sheila Burnett.*







*Flag Corps:* Row 1 - Lori Amundson, Christy Breshears. Row 2 - Joy Cain, Cindy Sanders, Larissa Kemper, Teresa Millsap, Angel Bernard.



*Marching Panther Band:* Row 1 - Terri Green, Suzy Proctor, Nancy Smith, Teri Woods. Row 2 - Lonnie Pederson, Marilyn Rader, Gina Griffin, Laurie Nixon, Liz Ward, Lori Penner, Karen Coble, Margie Holman, Denise Schilling, Teresa Millsap. Row 3 - Cindy Sanders, Rhonda Baney, Marsha Stofer, Connie Rogers, Rebecca Clary, Mike March, Gerald Stinson, Lisa Murrell, Angel Bernard. Row 4 - Christy Breshears, Donald Rogers, Brian Mitchell, Eric Farr, Rhonda Clark, Kim Penner, Ronnie Shepp, Pam Blunt, Debbie Mead. Row 5 - Lori Amundson, Donnie Sloan, Jim March, Denise Delcour, Lisa Bell, Greg Mitchell, Tim Privett, Jeff Holman, Greg Davis, Larissa Kemper. Row 6 - Jana Clary, Aleta Elliott, Sandy Fish, Darlene Crisp, Terry Strunk, Melissa Hutsell, Nancy Coats.



# The sparkle of the band



*Band Council Members:* Row 1 - Gina Griffin, Kim Penner, Aleta Elliott, Lori Penner, Rebecca Clary, Greg Mitchell. Row 2 - Suzy Proctor, Liz Ward, Nancy Smith.

*MGHS Band presents good entertainment as they perform during halftime.*







*Senior Band Members:*  
Row 1 - Greg Davis, Liz Ward, Rebecca Clary and Sheila Burnett. Row 2 - Brian Mitchell, Donald Rogers, Lori Nixon, Marilyn Radar, Lori Penner and Karen Coble.

*Band Instructor - Terry Vogal*

*The MGHS Band steps high as they march onto the field.*





# The sparkle of the band

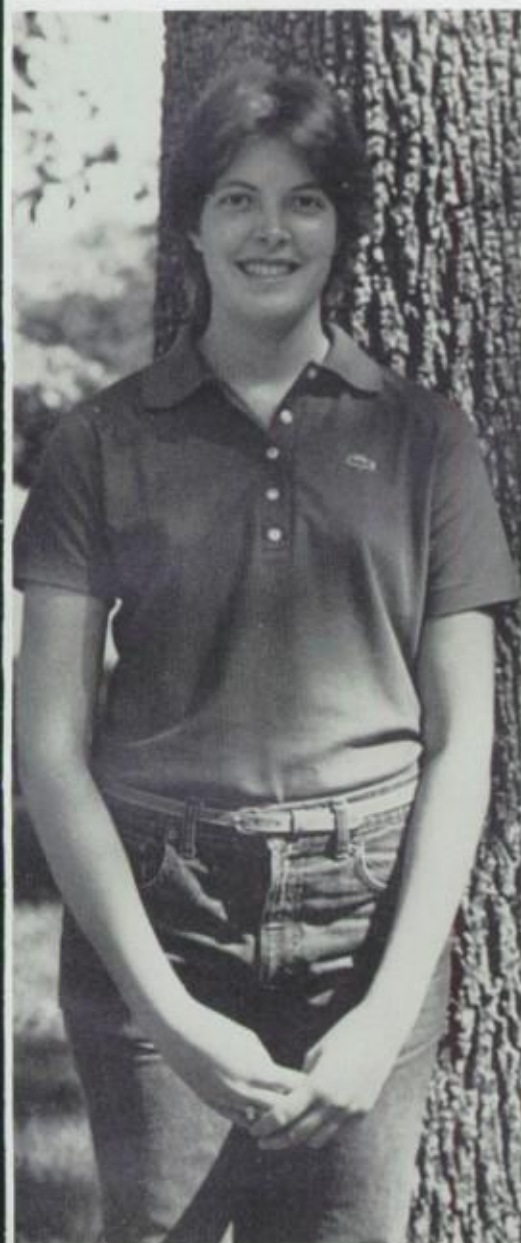
*Cadet Band:* Row 1 - Barbara Hutson, Vaneeta Tapp, Dani Swofford, Penny Davis, Jeanna Friend. Row 2 - Cara Wright, Lynn Crandall, Debbie Deaton, Jeff Longwell, Lisa Hutsell, Tammy Privett, Karen Gray. Row 3 - Kirk Vaughan, James Sinnings, Steven Bradley, Director - Mr. Vogel.

*Lab Band:* Row 1 - Debra Burney, Judy Tinsley, Shari White, Annette Crisp, Jenny Hale, Tammy Grover, Payge McGowan. Row 2 - Christy Hartzell, Kim Harris, Mary McFarland, Lee Romero, Jack Wiggins, Mike Drummond, Dennis Gray, Dean Smart, John Douglass. Row 3 - Director - Mr. Vogel, Chris Ray, Delinda Deaton, Jan Ward, Doug Chadwell, David Elliott, Kerry Dunn, David Tompkins.

*Beginning Band:* Row 1 - Leslie Hilt, Alissa Carter, Roberta Adamson, Debbie Browning, Peggy Morgan, Stacy Farr. Row 2 - Chris Bujarski, Cathy Crewse, Robert Clark, Sarah Spreitzer, Steven Swanger, Barbara Cline, Matt Dennis. Row 3 - Doug Coday, Teresa McCune, Billie Austin, Julie Proctor, Craig Rathbone, Suzy Sheldon, Michelle Mitchell, Julie Wolfe, Eric Bradshaw, Dennis Gray. Row 4 - David Doughty, Daniel Barnett, Mary McFarland, Cindy Finch, Jeanette Chaney, Jenny Hultz, Mr. Vogel.







*Lori Penner* - John Philip Sousa Band Award.

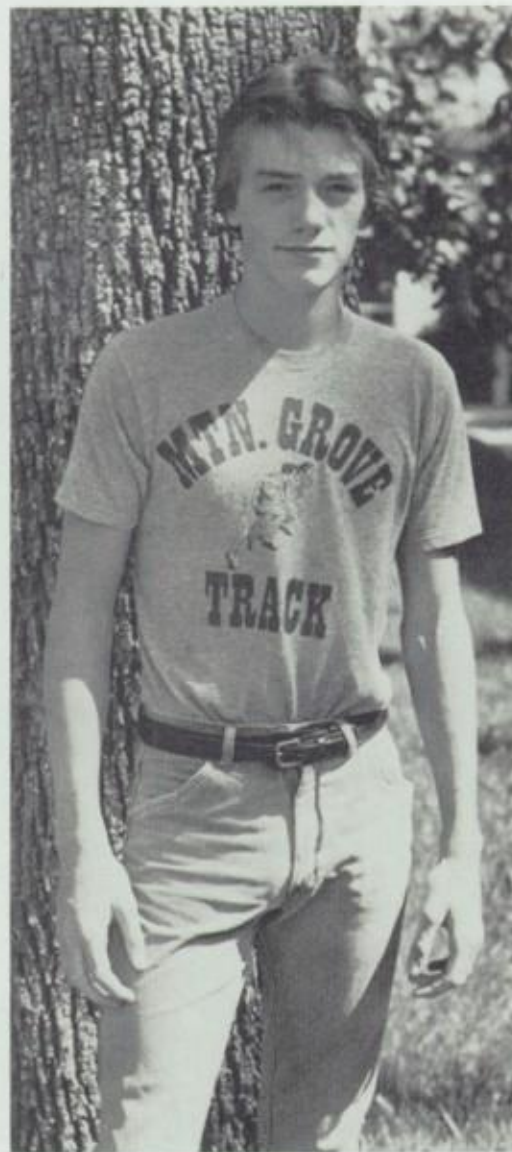
*Aleta Elliott* - Outstanding Band Member.

*Rhonda Baney* - Rookie of the Year.

*Cara Wright* - Directors Award.

*Julie Proctor* - Beginners Award.

*John Douglass* - Second Year Award.





# The rising voices and the radiant faces made an Expression of sound

In the past five years, the choir has grown from 32 members to 65 members. This year they won many honors. There were 19 members who made Select Choir and they were able to attend Festival Day to show off their talent. The Mountain Grove concert Choir was picked as one of the outstanding choirs of the Festival.

At the District Contest in Springfield, the choir received a II rating with a II+ in sight reading. The Girls' Trio received a perfect rating of I with singers Becky Clary, JoBeth Spurgeon and Lisa Hovatter. Soloists receiving I's were Wes Friend, Kevin Prewett, Becky Clary, Vicki Brown and JoBeth Spurgeon. They all showed their true talents in the expression of sound.



*Treble Choir:* Row 1 - Tonya Mangan, Lisa Martin, Teresa Hopkins, Anette Martin, Theresa Craig, Londa Moore, Linda Chaney, Gaylia Largent, Mona Davis, Anne Duey, Patty Carter, Dawn Alexander, Mavonne Alexander. Row 2 - Donna Lathrom, Cathy Ellingwood, Donna Carter, Darlene Stigall, Jane Cowden, Sandra Moore, Barbara Cline, Marcia Billingsley, Pauline Hicks, Diane Doughty, Charlotte Rhodes, Tracy Finch, Alisha Scherer, Stacy Farr. Row 3 - Kathy Van Fossen, Marie

Carter, Tammy Bruce, Barbara Hutson, Carrie Hays, Linda Curtis, Valinda Groat, Christine Gloth, Teresa McCune, Brenda Shields, Margaret Hicks, Teresa Privett, Linda Privett, Marie LaRue. Row 4 - Gloria Deaton, Christy Thornhill, Kim Chapman, Carol Thompson, Laura Hoover, Debbie Gourley, Angel Bernard, Roxanne Mooney, Cathy Clayton, Peggy Morgan, Sheila Brazile, Lisa Warren, Michelle Frost, Shirlene Knotts.



*Concert Choir:* Row 1 - Cindy Bradshaw, Vaneatta Tapp, Jeanna Friend, Teri Woods, Lisa Hovatter, Kyra Friend, Kevin Prewett, Kevin Martin, Gayla Graven, Vicky Brown, Teresa Campbell, Joanne Alvarez, Lisa Johnston, Rebecca Clary. Row 2 - Sandra Thompson - teacher, Tracy Ellis, Debe Peterson, Jodie Melton, Brenda Pratt, Connie Winsor, Bruce Moore, Penny Finch, Jenny Lawson, Sheila Brazile, Michelle Foster, Lori Nixon, Deanna Ellis. Row 3 - Laura Foster, Rhonda Baney, Sandy

Walker, Wendy Burnett, JoBeth Spurgeon, Cindy Burnside, Charles Kelly, John Dalton, Terry Bell, Larissa Kemper, Ronna Burch, Lisa Hutsell, Britia Moritz, Kim Friend, Tonya Knotts. Row 4 - Penny Davis, Tammie Ward, Sheila Burnett, Jana Clary, Peggy Wilson, Kathy Bradley, Tony Dugger, Wes Friend, David Swofford, Joy Cain, Lori Amundson, Dani Swofford, Rhonda McCully, LaVonna Shaw, Shari Carmen, Debbie Gourley, Mandy Welton.





*SCA Winners:* Row 1 - Sheila Burnett, Jody Melton, Lisa Hovatter, Kyra Friend, Laurie Nixon, Rebecca Clary. Row 2 - Wendy Burnett, Teri Woods, JoBeth Spurgeon, Victoria Brown, Kim Friend, Shari Carmen. Row 3 - Kevin Prewett, Tony Dugger, Wes Friend, David Swofford, Terry Bell, Kevin Martin.



*Choir Officers:* President JoBeth Spurgeon, Vice President Kevin Prewett, Secretary Lisa Hovatter, Treasurer Kim Friend, Historian Shelia Burnett.



# Expression of sound



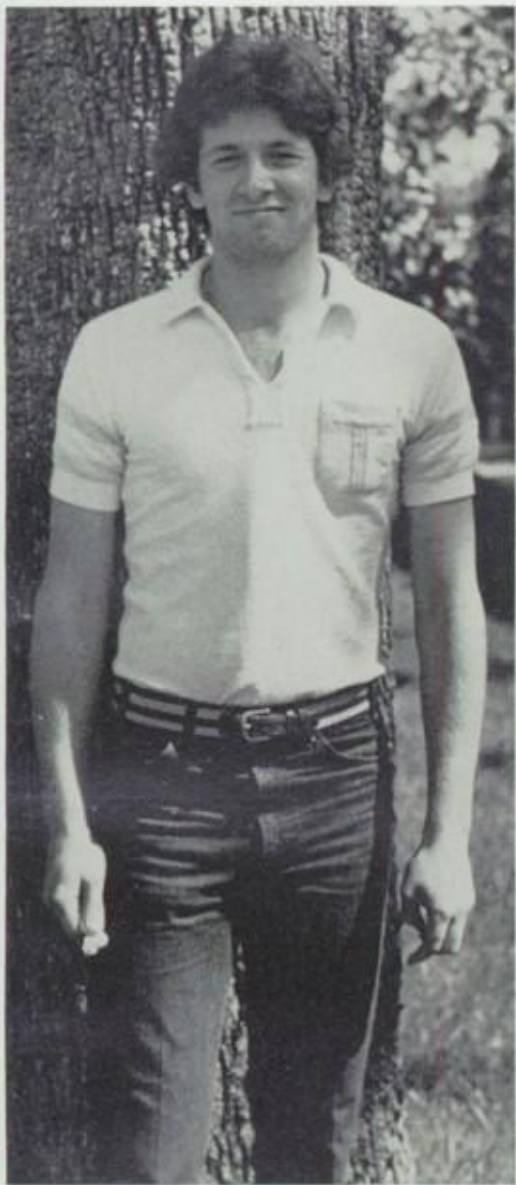
*Treble Choir Officers:* Row 1 - Penny Mitchell - President. Row 2 - Teresa Hopkins - Secretary, Marie Carter - Vice President. Row 3 - Lisa Martin - Journalist, Angel Bernard - Assistant Secretary, Lisa Warren - Historian and Londa Moore - Treasurer.

*Music Maker Officers:* Robin Mayer - Secretary, Melissa Hutsell - President and Jonette Crandel - Vice President.

*Music Makers:* Row 1 - Mrs. Thomson, Robin LaRue, Loretta Crisp, Greg Dugger, Faron Lathrom, Donnie Smith, Brenda Wade, Evalyn Burgard, Becky Conley, Robin Mayer, Darla Stinson. Row 2 - Penny Mitchell, Sonya Long, Carol Noble, Jimmy Robertson, Jay Clark, Daryl Hopkins, Sandra Moore, Tammy Deaver, Sandra Maxvill, Jonette Crandel, Wreatha Burgard. Row 3 - Tonya Friend, Glenna Nielson, Billy Conley, Brian Fields, Cathy Clayton, Mike Bruce, Daniel Brown, David Parmenter, Connie Brown, Debbie Noble, Sheila Creed, Lisa Akers. Row 4 - Shelly Mooney, Melissa Hutsell, Carol Thompson, Jimmy Duey, Bill Carpenter, Shane Spiva, Dennis Hall, Russel Ballinger, Charles Kelly, Tammy Travis, Velma Mabe, Margo Hutsell, Deanna Beard, Debbie Gardener.







David Swofford  
Soloist of the Year



Rebecca Clary  
National Choral Award  
Frederic Schopan Piano



Penny Mitchell  
Frederic Schopan Piano



Laura Hoover  
11th Girls Glee  
Outstanding Member



Teresa Hopkins  
10th Girls Glee Outstanding Member



Diane Doughty  
9th Girls Glee Outstanding Member



Kathy VanFosson  
8th Girls Glee Outstanding Member



Christine Gloth  
7th Girls Glee  
Outstanding Member



# It was a night for celebrating the Good times

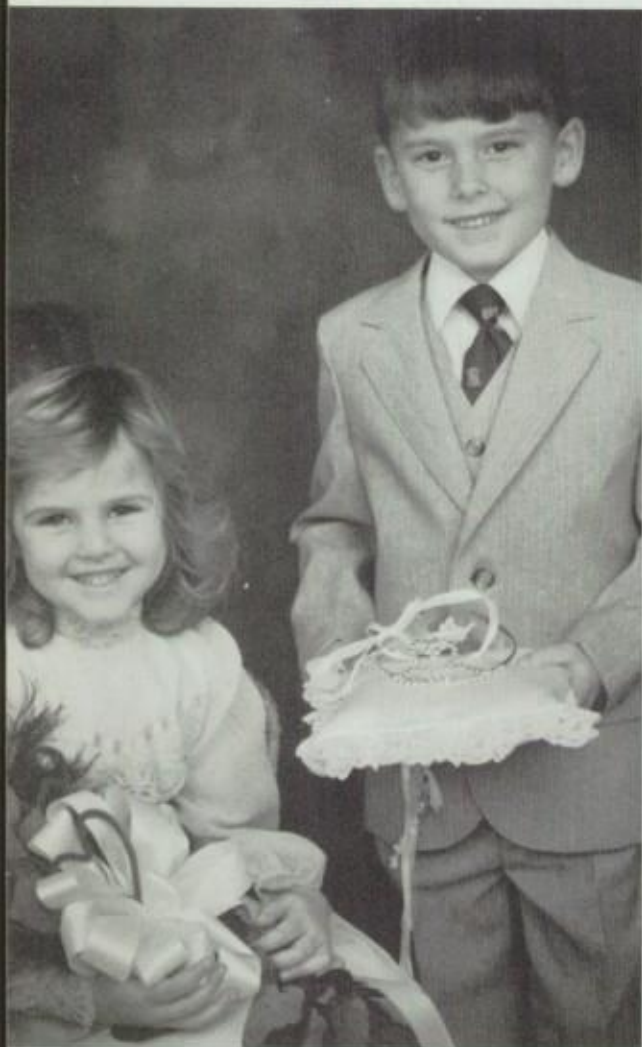
Friday the 13<sup>th</sup> is known to be unlucky, but for senior Lori Todd it was a dream come true. The 1980 Hoop Queen, Genny Brant, relinquished her title to Lori during halftime Feb. 13 at the basketball game against Liberty. The Panthers held a 76-49 win over the Eagles.

The new queen was accompanied by her royalty, senior Carla Lathrom escorted by Todd Bledsoe, senior Bridget Freeman escorted by Randy Gaddis, junior Tina Raney escorted by Brian McGownd, sophomore Sandy Fish escorted by Jake Slayton and freshman Diane Doughty escorted by Kevin Martin. The flower girl and crown bearer were Amy Watson and Timmy Murphy.

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*Senior Lori Todd won the title of 1981 Hoop Queen.*

*Amy Watson and Timmy Murphy were the flower girl and crown bearer.*







*It was a bustling day for Lori, Carla, Bridget, Tina and Sandy. First hour, the girls and their escorts practiced walking out on the gym floor for the pep assembly and the big night. The rest of the morning was spent taking individual and group pictures along with the flower girl and ring bearer at Krizan's Photography. Most of the afternoon was spent freshening faces and dressing. They all looked radiant at the pep assembly. The Hoop royalty are senior attendant Carla Lathrom, junior attendant Tina Raney, sophomore attendant Sandy Fish, senior attendant Bridget Freeman and freshman attendant Diane Doughty.*



# I'm coming out

I want the world to know, got to let it show.

With the theme, Lost in Love, the junior-senior prom came to life May 9.

The evening started with a banquet hosted by Greg Mitchell and Jana Clary, master and mistress of ceremonies.

Music was provided by David Swofford and JoBeth Spurgion singing "You Make Me Feel Brand New"; Kim and Kyra Friend, JoBeth Spurgeon and Teri Woods singing "The Best of Times"; Kecia Sanders singing "Annie's Song"; David Swofford singing "You Take My Breath Away" and Kecia Sanders and Wes Friend singing "Lost in Love."

The prom began at 9 p.m. displaying a tropical atmosphere with palm trees, beaches and a sunset.

Full Circle stopped playing at 10:30 for the crowning of Yearbook King and Queen, Randy Gaddis and Penny Mitchell.

First runners up were Tammy Rogers and Kelly Schudy followed by Robin Shepherd and Jeff Vinger, Denise Fish and Craig Kjellberg and Bridget Courtney and Tracy Todd.

*Enjoying the royalty dance are Penny Mitchell and Randy Gaddis.*



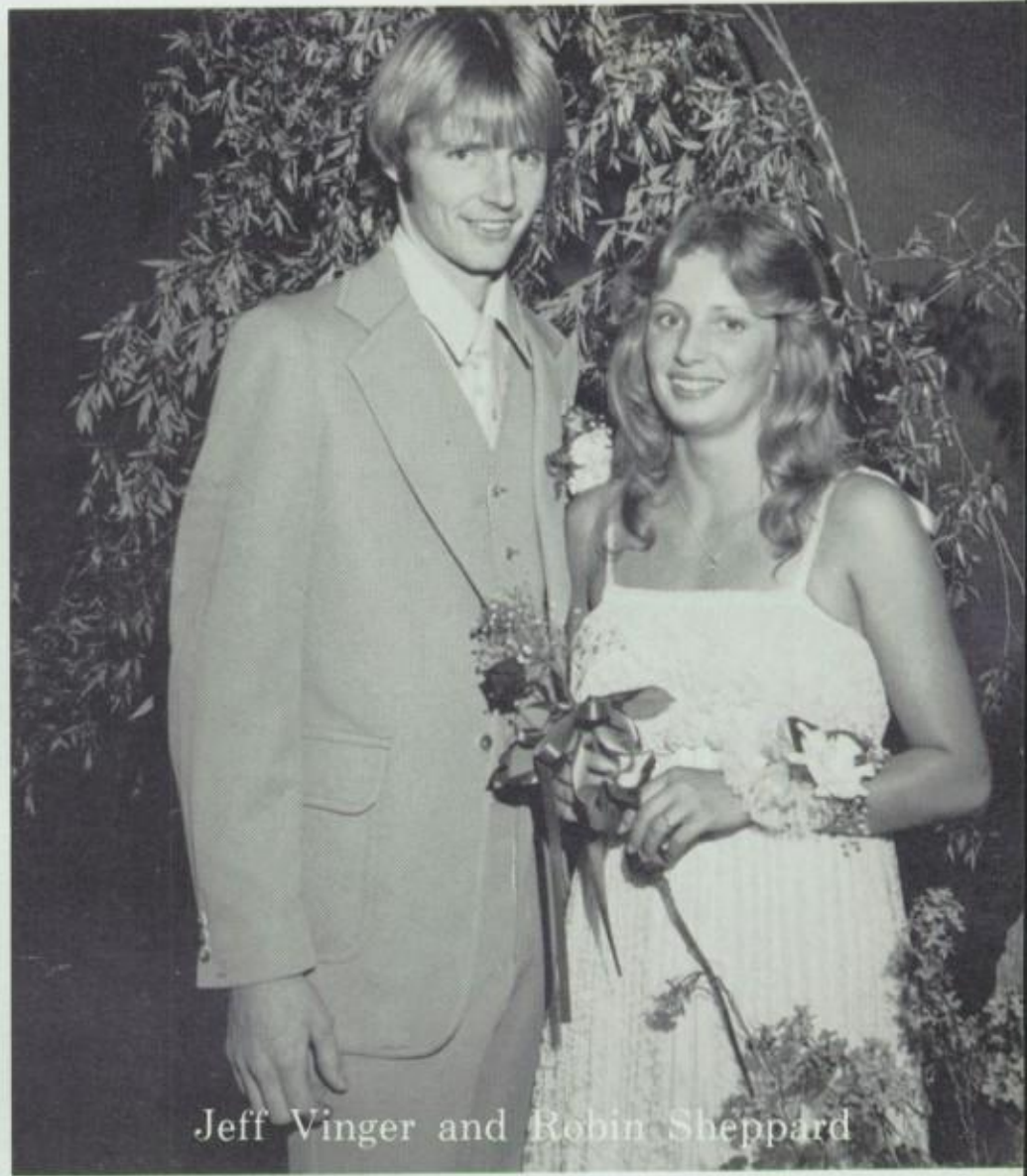
Randy Gaddis

Penny Mitchell





Kelly Schudy and Tammy Rogers



Jeff Vinger and Robin Sheppard



Craig Kjellberg and Denise Fish



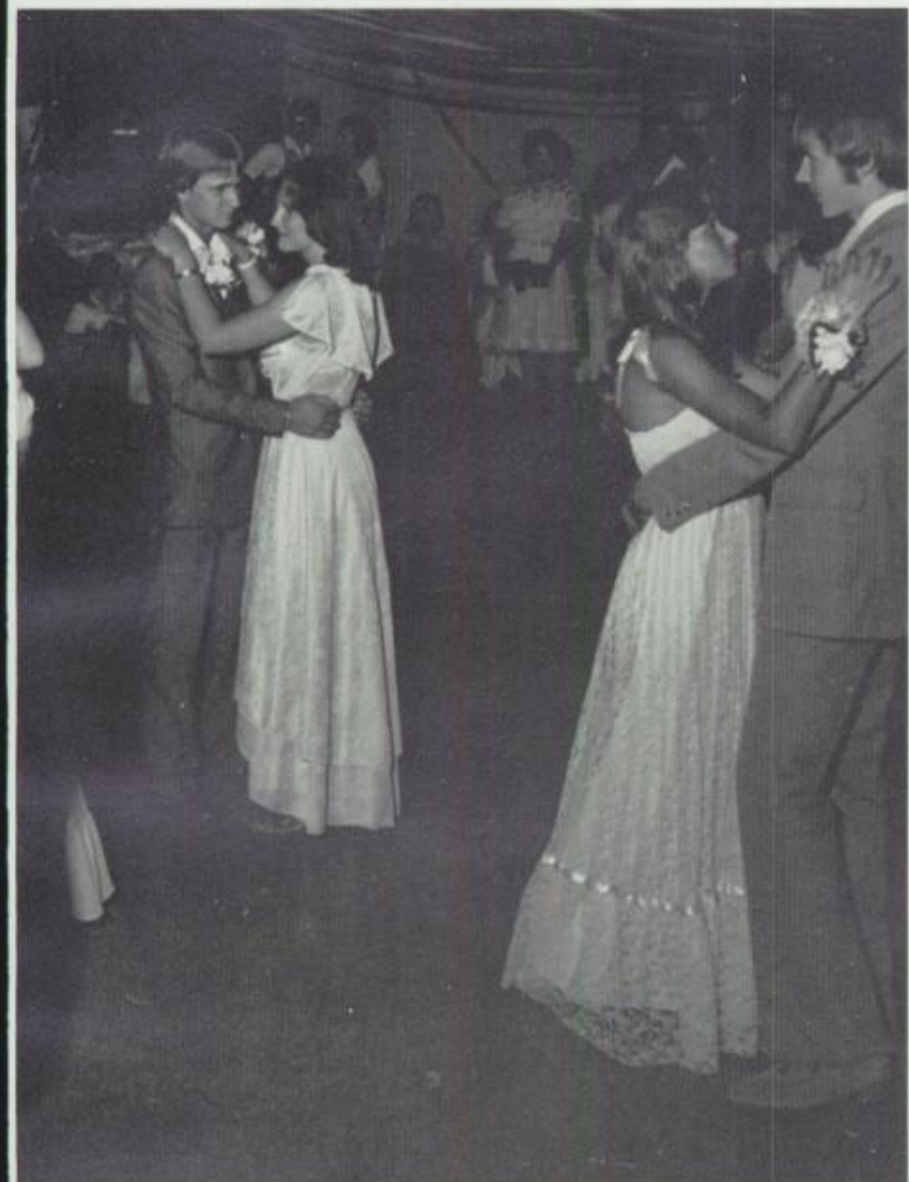
Tracy Todd and Bridget Courtney



I'm coming out







*Mistress of Ceremonies, Jana Clary, crowns the Yearbook Queen, Penny Mitchell.*

*Penny gets a hug from brother Greg Mitchell, Master of Ceremonies.*

*The '81 juniors and seniors come alive to the sound of Full Circle.*

*Slow dancing to the hit "The Rose" are Tracy Todd, Bridget Courtney, Robin Sheppard and Jeff Vinger.*

*The excitement was too much to hold in.*

*The evening just didn't last long enough.*







*Jerry Kelley was ready for any kind of "bull" on the day of the Greenhand's initiation.*

*Even Mrs. Mulberry joined in on the fun at the FFA slave sale.*

*FFA Officers: Row 1 - Tony Dugger - Treasurer, Karen Coble - Vice President, Kelley Schudy - President, Kim Smith - Secretary. Row 2 - Steve Wade - Reporter, Lyndall Calhoun - Sentinel, Clinton Ussery - Chaplin, Jeff Thornhill - Parliamentarian.*

## Going for number one

The Mountain Grove FFA Chapter has one hundred members. Four of these, Kelley Schudy, Karen Coble, Kim Smith and Jeff Thornhill, represented the state of Missouri at the National Western Livestock Judging Contest in Denver, Colorado. They brought back a number one rating for the state of Missouri.

To prepare for the big event, the ambitious team members spent many long and tedious hours visiting local farms and practicing oral responses.

They were rewarded for their efforts in that they all got to go downhill skiing. They also

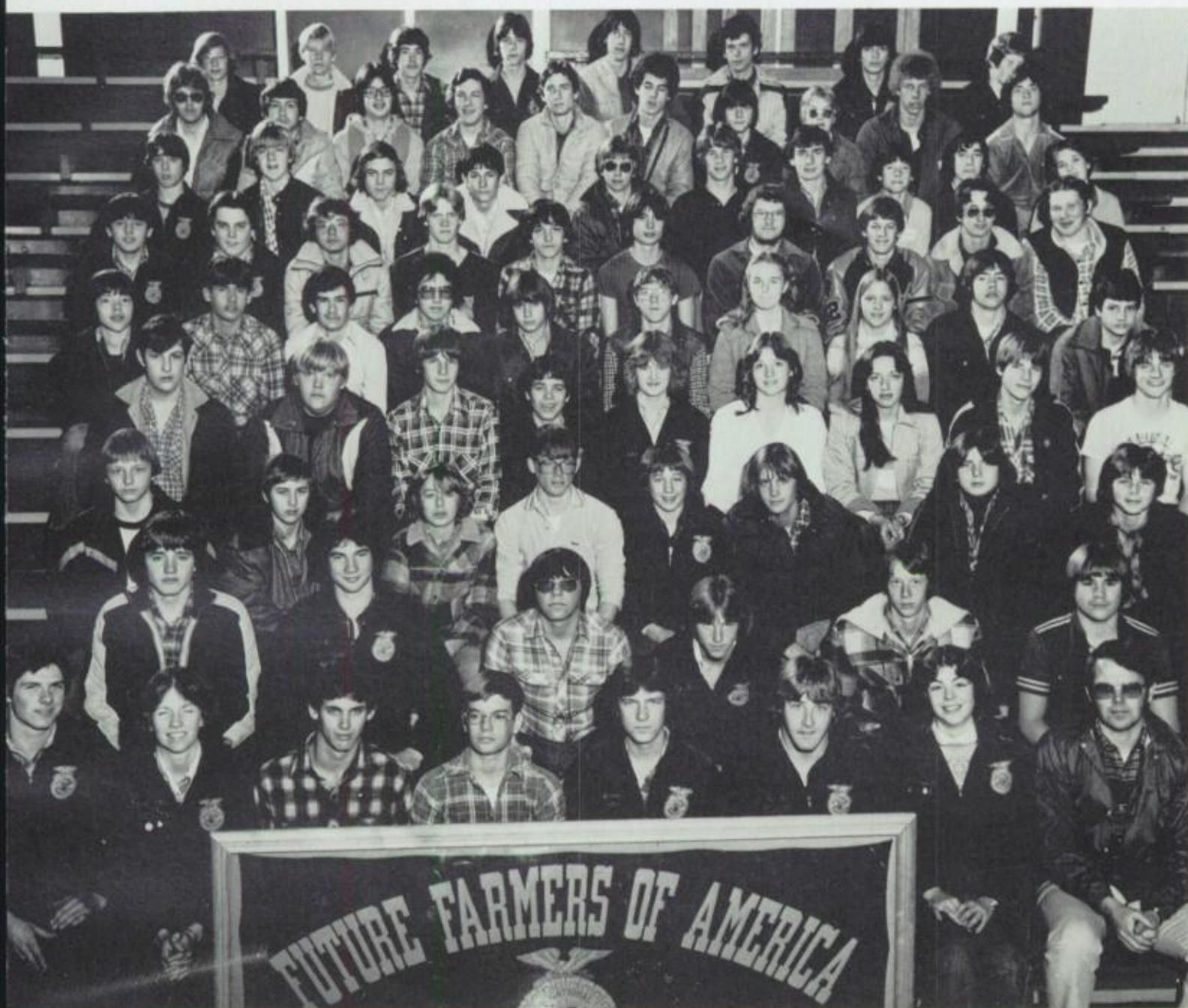
visited a sheep packing plant, attended a judging contest at Colorado State University and went to Estes Park, a wildlife reserve.

The FFA Chapter also went to a National Convention where they brought back a gold rating in BOAC and POA, and a silver rating in safety.

To earn money the FFA held their annual slave sale in which every member was sold to an individual to work an eight hour day. They grossed \$1,800 dollars. For another money making project, they sold oranges and grapefruits in November.







FFA: Row 1 - Kelley Schudy - President, Karen Coble - Vice President, Lyndell Calhoun - Sentinel, Jodi Whitehill - Historian, Steve Wade - Reporter, Jeff Thornhill - Parliamentarian, Kim Smith - Secretary, Zane Mulberry - Advisor. Row 2 - Vince Hilt, Rick LaFevers, Clark Mikkelson, Keith Chambers, Mike Freeman, Mark Hasek. Row 3 - Dwight Fry, Roger Ward, Jerry Kelley, Jay Whitehill, Scott LaFevers, Rusty Peterson, Dale Atchison, Rick Gaddis. Row 4 - Scott Allen, Pat Squirrel, Jeff Worstell,

Donnie Schilling, Marsha Stofer, Debbie Moore, Becky Sheppard, Mark Freeman, Dennis Klarenbeek. Row 5 - Tim Carter, Jeff Liska, Bob Reed, Jeff Mitchell, John Roe, Scott Hopkins, Mandy Welton, Laura Foster, Gary Harrison, Wes Collins. Row 6 - Jeff Smith, John Amundson, Tom Ellis, Kevin McGowan, Lanny Robertson, Donnie Rutz, Art Taylor, Mike Peterson, Kirk Pamperien, Tom Ratterree. Row 7 - Terry Collins, Jeff Stigall, Todd Brown, Derrick Davis, Pat Adams, Steve Frazee, Mike Murphy, Derrick

Hutsell, Jerry Driskell, Jana Clary. Row 8 - Jeff Driskell, Eddie Vaughn, Gregg Moseley, Ben Walker, Kevin Dunn, Cody McIntosh, Greg Dysart, Richard Nelson, Adam Bramwell, Mark Harris. Row 9 - Kevin Mitchell, Loren Roe, Dwight Hoffarth, Jerry Schwertfeger, Steve Johnson, Larry Robertson, Charlie Spreitzer.

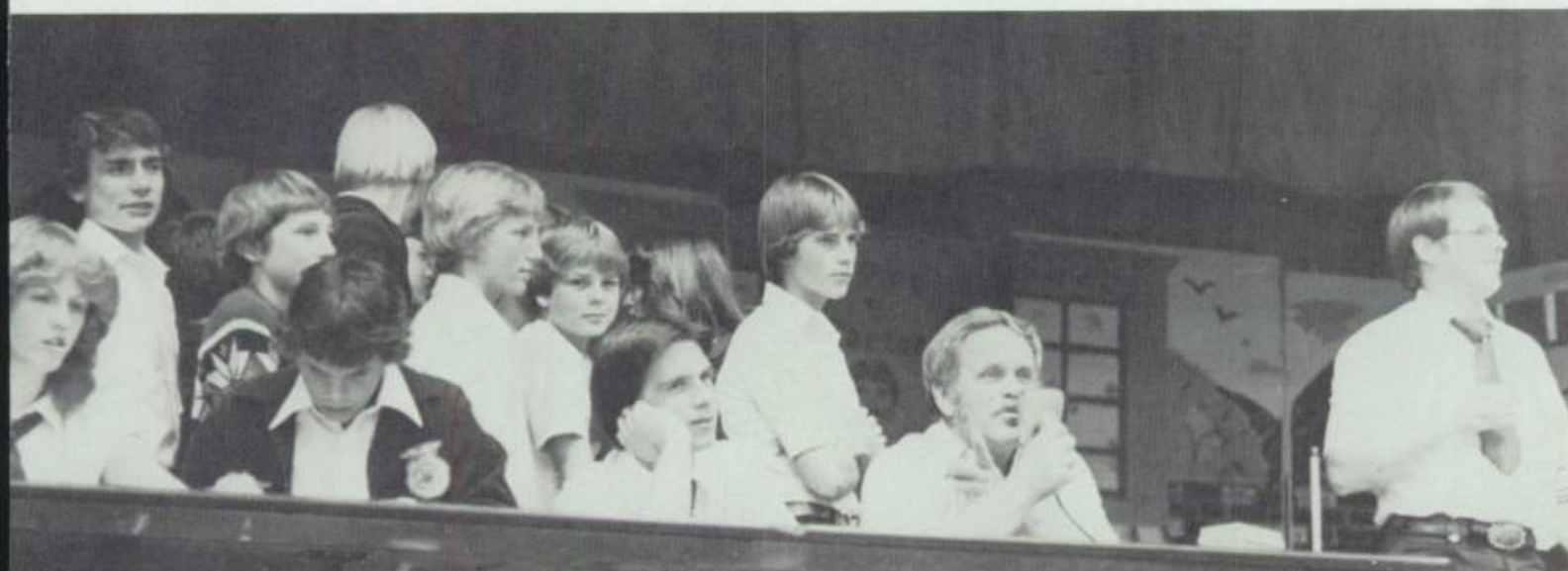


## FFA Sweetheart

At the annual barnwarming and hayride, eight girls were eagerly awaiting the results of a secret ballot to see which one of them would get to be FFA's Sweetheart. The results came in and the winner was . . . Debbie Moore!

Surprised, excited and nervous, Debbie received a bouquet of roses from president Kelley Schudy and was crowned FFA Sweetheart.

Debbie commented, "I really liked being in FFA. It involves a lot of time and hard work, but it also includes a lot of fun with a great bunch of friends. And I'm really glad I got FFA Sweetheart."



FFA members are eagerly waiting to be sold at the traditional slave sale.



# Marcia Peterson

Marcia Peterson is Missouri's National Committee Member. She acts as the mediator between the National Association and the state.

Since her election, Marcia has spent six weeks during June and July attending state, regional and national conventions. She also spent two weeks at the Missouri Home Economics Teachers Association Conference and the Missouri state executive council officers meetings.

Marcia has traveled as far as Warrensburg and Steele, Missouri. She has worked with as many as 4000 people. The length of the programs have been from 45 minutes to three hours.

Marcia said, "I have learned responsibilities, dedication, love, concern and hard work. There have been ups and downs; times when I have felt like screaming because it was all too much to handle, but I have enjoyed it and would do it all over again if given the opportunity."



Marcia Peterson serves as Missouri's National Committee Member in FHA.

Lisa Moseley addresses the people at the Sr. and Jr. High FHA banquet.



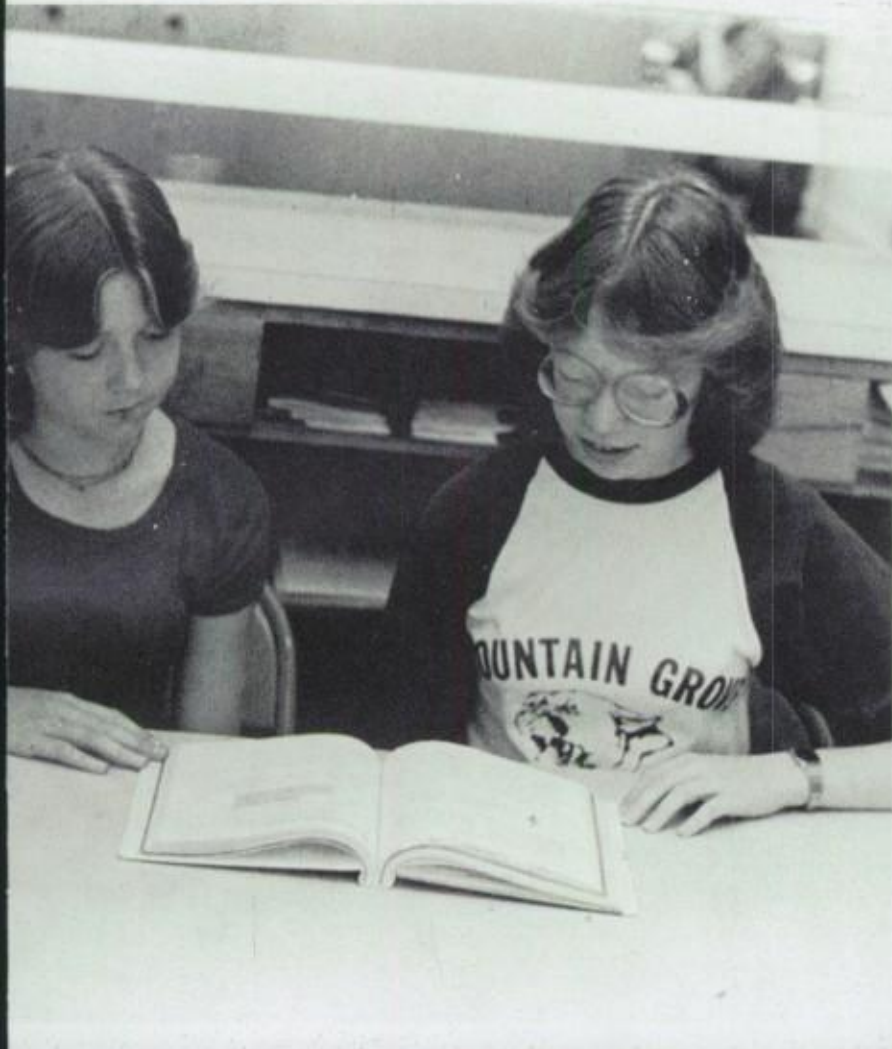
Sr. High FHA: Row 1 - Janet Conley - President, Lisa Moseley - Vice President, Jackie Long - Secretary, Cindy Walker - Treasurer, Sonya Walker - Points Chairman, Lori Nixon - Song, Recreation, Devotion Leader, Connie Rogers - Song, Recreation, Devotion Leader. Row 2 - Kris Hegle - Reporter, Sophomore Representative, Judy Hastings - Historian, Junior Representative, Marcia Peterson - Missouri National Committee Member, Todd, Liz Ward, Terri Christensen,

Kim Clark - State Hero. Row 3 - Lori Violet Caldwell, Tina Raney, Dana Newberry, Sheila Burnett. Row 4 - Charles Kelley, Kim Stillings, Laura Foster, Susan Keesling, Julie Sellars, Susie Bruce, Norma Sellars. Row 5 - Debe Peterson, Ann Schudy, Simmone Burke, Londa Moore, Violet Kelley, Marsha Jones, Karla Smith, Marilyn Rader. Row 6 - Bonita Perkins, Carol Stephenson, Lisa Johnson, Kathy Bradley, Tammy Mitchell, Tammy Liska, Dana McGowen, Marie Carter.





# FHA - Looking into the future



The Future Homemakers of America is a club that helps the youth to assume their ideas in society through Home Economics. The students receive an education in areas of personal growth, family life, vocational preparation and community involvement.

FHA Chapters place major emphasis on projects involving consumer education, homemaking and family life education. The FHA chapter also explores home economics related jobs and careers with the realization that homemakers fill multiple roles as community leaders and

*Darlene Stigall, Lisa Martin and Karen Mills (not shown) were the Jr. High's top FHA sales persons.*

wage earners. Hero Chapters stress the importance of preparation for jobs and careers, with recognition that workers also fill multiple roles as homemakers.

At the beginning of each year, FHA has a fund raising project to raise the money needed in the year. This year they sold *Current*. Lisa Johnson was awarded "salesman of the month" by the senior high chapter of the Future Homemakers of America. Lisa sold the most "Current" stationery during the clubs annual fund raising project.

The annual trip consisted of a trip to St. Louis, Missouri, to tour the zoo and the arch.

The Junior High chapter of the Future Homemakers of America took pride in their weekly visits to the Thomas Manor Nursing Home, and in Kelly Warren for her participation in the Regional FHA meeting in Willow Springs.

Selling something that appealed to others and the enthusiasm of the girls made their decorative calendars successful as their money making project. Lisa Martin was the top salesperson.

FHA helps the members to be prepared for later careers by learning leadership, responsibility and how to get along with others.



*Jr. High FHA: Row 1 - Mrs. Pittman - Sponsor, Dianne Doughty - President, Lynda Douglass - Vice President, Kelly Hasek - Secretary, Andrea Upshaw - Treasurer, Kelly Warren - Regional Representative. Row 2 - Darlene Stigall - Parliamentarian, DeAnna Beard - song, recreational Leader, Cathy VanFossen - Reporter, Lisa Martin - co-devotional leader, Shari White - co-devotion leader, Judy Tinsley - historian. Row 3 - Debbie Browning, Jenny Hultz, Margaret Hicks, Cheryl Thomas, Charolette Rhodes, Kim*

*Hungerford, Tammy Travis, Teresa Calhoun, Jeanette Chaney, Patty Carter. Row 4 - Tina Shannon, Debi Carter, Carmon Mitchell, Jan Delcour, Patty Mangan, Shelly Wilkerson, Christine Gardener, Christy Thornhill, Michele Mitchell, Tonya Mangan, Tina Wade. Row 5 - Karen Mills, Brenda Coffman, Janean Skaggs, Sarah Spreitzer, Julie Proctor, Jonett Crandall, Ann Duey, Michele Frost, Vicky Smith, Sonja Long, Amy Finney.*



# FBLA and FTA help prepare students for the future

Future Business Leaders of America helps the members to develop leadership qualities and a sense of responsibility. The members learn to work and get along with each other much as they would work with one another on a job. The club also provides Career Awareness in the business world.

As it has been done traditionally, FBLA sold Tom Watt. This requires the members to carry on door-to-door sales from a kit containing merchandise. The club sold around \$4,300 worth of merchandise this year. The club keeps  $\frac{1}{3}$  of its sales to use in their year's activities.

For their spring trip FBLA went to SMSU's business department then on a tour of Boatmen's Bank. At their FBLA district conference held February 28, Denise Schilling and JoBeth Spurgeon placed first. Kim Wade, Liz Ward and Robin Hicks received second place. Tracy Hicks was elected District Historian Reporter. Rick Bauer became Mr. FBLA. Also, the Mtn. Grove exhibit won second place.

*JoBeth Spurgeon* was busy filling glasses with punch at the Teacher's Tea hosted by FTA.



*FBLA:* Row 1 - Miss Blades - Sponsor, Mrs. White - Sponsor, Ann Schudy - Secretary, Bridget Courtney - Treasurer, Liz Ward - President, Denise Fish - Program Chairman, Sherri Fields - Vice President, Janet Robertson - Historian. Row 2 - Sandie Fish, Kim Collins, Linda Thornhill, Marla Douglass, Marie Carter, Margaret Miller, Gina Griffin, Greg Mitchell, Jim March, Steve Douglass. Row 3 - Jeff Holman, Lori Amundson, Sarah Williams, Penny Mitchell, Teresa Hopkins, Janet Conley, Darlene Crisp, Linda Carter, Kelly Hefner. Row 4 - Sherry Housley, Lori Todd,

Denise Schillings, JoBeth Spurgeon, Violet Caldwell, Terri Christenson, Christine Bradshaw, Kelly Thornhill, Marla Bushong. Row 5 - Sherry Renfrow, Lisa Murrell, Judy Hastings, Dana Newberry, Donna Carter, Tonya Knotts, Tammy Bell, Jenny Lawson, Valinda Middleton. Row 6 - Diana Delcour, Gerry Garrett, Julie Emery, Melissa Hutsell, Sherry Freeman, Carol Yeager, Lori Peterson, Denise Delcour. Row 7 - Rick Bauer, Jim Garrett, Cindy Burnside, Shelly Gourley, Tammy Rogers, Marla Cantrell, Bridgett Freeman, Valinda Davidson.







## FTA

FTA stands for Future Teachers of America. This club helps one prepare for what lays ahead if planning on going into the profession of teaching.

For their money making projects they sold cookies in the lobby at noon, wrapping paper for Christmas and in February they sold valentines.

The FTA members each year raise money for the Cerebral Palsy Telethon. They also answer telephones for the telethon in Mountain Grove.

During FTA week the members went to SMSU for a FTA Campus Day in which the members listened to speakers, went to seminars and took a tour of the campus.

*FTA:* Row 1 - Mrs. Turner - Sponsor, Lori Penner - President, Lisa Hovatter - Vice President, Debe Peterson - Secretary, Suzy Bruce - Treasurer, JoBeth Spurgeon - Point Chairman, Janice Hopkins - Historian. Row 2 - Jana Clary, Lisa Murrell, Bridget Courtney, Liz Ward, Lori Todd, Denise Fish, Janet Robertson. Row 3 - Marsha Jones, Karla Smith, Shari Carmen, Brenda Pratt, Laura Foster, Kim Friend. Row 4 - Tilli Black, Sherry Renfrow, Vernica Carter,

Kim Penner, Denise Schilling, Karen Coble, Sherry Freeman. Row 5 - Berna Ratteree, Vaneeta Tapp, Britia Moritz, Dana Swofford, Lisa Hutsell, Gina Friend, Kyra Friend, Lisa Moseley. Row 6 - Lisa Smith, Kim Smith, Suzy Proctor, Terri Green, Angel Bernard, Alissa Carter. Row 7 - Cindy Keesling, Ann Schudy, Teri Woods, Shirley Dowden, Kecia Sanders, Dana McGowan, Tammy Liska.



*Lori Penner was proud to be president of FTA.*

*Individual business honors during district competition went to Tracy Hicks, Denise Schilling, JoBeth Spurgeon and Kim Wade.*



# Securing good times for the student body

Student Council fulfilled their promises during the year.

Although, due to state regulations, the student pop machine was removed from the school, the Student Council softened the blow by getting a juke box placed in the cafeteria.

The money from the juke box and a Student Council sponsored volleyball tournament was spent providing music and decorations for the yearly dances.

As a member said, their goal for the year was to keep the Student Council the voice of the MGHS student body.

## NHS - Striving for the best

National Honor Society is one of the most respected clubs one can belong to. It is based on attainment of a high level as regards to scholarship, leadership, character and service judged by academic records and faculty ballots.

The club's money making projects consisted of selling cokes at the girls volleyball games and selling senior T-shirts.

During the 1980-81 school year Rob Walsh and Karen Coble were nominated to apply



*Student Council:* Row 1 - Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Pittman - Sponsors, Kelley Schudy, Karen Coble, Lisa Hovatter, Raminder Sandhu. Row 2 - Marcia Peterson, Craig Kjellberg, Bridgett Courtney, Denise Fish, Janet Robertson, Chris Adams. Row 3 - Kim Smith, Lisa Smith, Janice Hopkins, Cindy Clark, Sheri Fields, Dale Crandell. Row 4 - Marla Douglass, Margaret Miller, Denise Delcour, Darlene Crisp,

Sandy Fish, Lanny Robertson. Row 5 - Cara Wright, Debbie Deaton, Lynn Crandall, Donna Davidson, Dani Swofford, Steve Hirsch. Row 6 - Andrea Upshaw, Kelly Hasek, Jenny Spritzer, Judy Tinsley, Lisa Martin, Steve Hall. Row 7 - Robin Mayer, Dale Amundson, Chris Holfield, Sandy Leighty, Missy Pamperien, Shane Coffman.

for the National Honor Society scholarship.

The club also sponsored a Cystic Fibrosis Bike-a-Thon.

*Terri Woods, JoBeth Spurgeon and Kim Friend won first place during the Student Councils Talent Contest.*







*National Honor Society:* Row 1 - Mrs. Crandall - Sponsor, Kelley Schudy - Parliamentarian, Karen Coble - Treasurer, Lori Penner - Secretary, Lisa Mosley - Historian, Jeff Vinger - Vice President, Rob Walsh - President. Row 2 - Lisa Hovatter, Penny Mitchell, Lori Todd, Cindy Keesling, LeAnna McCallister, Cody McIntosh, Craig Fields. Row 3 - Terry Bell, Tracy Todd, Greg Davis, Nancy Smith,

Sheri Fields, Chris Smith, Jerry Schwertfeger. Row 4 - Simone Burke, Mike Tollison, Kim Friend, Violet Caldwell, JoBeth Spurgeon, Denise Schilling, Gina Griffin. Row 5 - Janice Hopkins, Tara Mayer, Lisa Smith, Kim Smith, Raminder Sandhu, Mike March, Greg Mitchell. Row 6 - Carla Lathrom, Dale Crandell, Chris Adams.

*Gina Griffin receives her pen from Mrs. Crandall for the old members during NHS initiation.*



*Rhonda Clark accepts her certificate from Mr. Worstell during the NHS initiation.*



# Art Clubs bring things into being

Art Club started off the year by winning first place with their float in the Homecoming parade. However, the excitement didn't end there.

In February the club had a raffle on a giant red and white Teddy Bear. In this money making project one had to guess how many jelly beans were in a jar. Each guess cost twenty-five cents. The bear was won by Eric Farr.

Throughout the year the club had various guest speakers at their meetings including photographers, merchants, painters and people who make greeting cards. They explained to the members the different aspects of art.

The Industrial Arts Club kept up with the changing times as they brought home many honors from Dis-

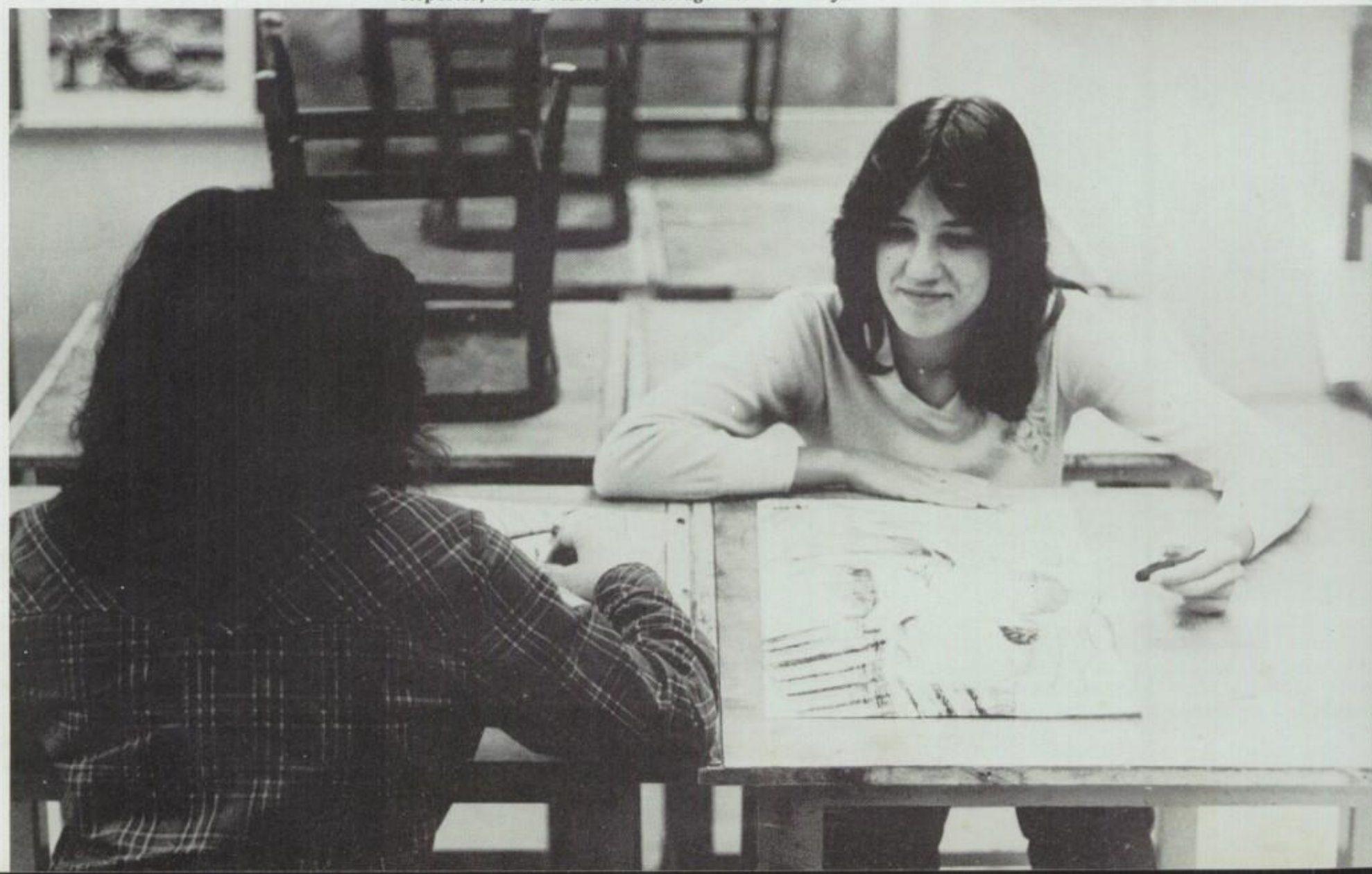
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*Art Club members Marsha Jones and Anna Marie Trowbridge are proud of their work they have completed.*

*Art Club: Row 1 - Lisa Smith - Vice President. Row 2 - Melissa Mooney, Cindy Sanders - Secretary, Treasurer, Theresa Grisham - President, Karla Smith - Reporter, Anna Marie Trowbridge. Row 3 - Bryan*

*Davis, Tara Mayear, Cindy Clark, Teresa Millsap, Brenda Wade. Row 4 - Dewey Bender, Derrick Davis, Marsha Jones, Mr. Cunningham - Sponsor.*







## Art Clubs

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trict Contest held in Gainesville on April 11.

The Industrial Art members competing took 12 first place awards, four second place awards and three third place awards.

Dan Pridemore received "Outstanding" in wood working for his night stand. Rod Weed received "Outstanding" in machine shop and Don Anderson received "Outstanding" in models.

Steve Kutz received "Best of Show" in brass naval canner. This means his project was judged as the best out of everything.

Their state contest was held May 2 at Columbia, Missouri. Dan Pridemore and Steve Kutz placed third at this contest.

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*Mr. Gorsch shows Larry Curtis what he needs to do to complete his wood project.*

*Cindy Clark concentrates on a sketch she is working on for an Art grade.*



**Industrial Arts:** Row 1 - Greg Westfall, Dennis Hodges, Shane Coffman, Steven Weyrauch, Dale Amundson, Randy Emery. Row 2 - Mike Goodman - Sergeant at Arms, Steve Madonia - Treasurer, Debbie Officer - Vice President, Cody McIntosh - President, Jerry Schwertfeger - Secretary. Row 3 - Mike Prock, Kevin Phillips, Terry Delcour, Scott

Baker, Jerry Kelley, Donny Schilling, Kirk Vaughn, Jimmy Cannon, Tom Emery. Row 4 - Mr. Gorsch - Sponsor, Doug Goans, David Schepp, Karl Krawe, Melvin Frost, Rick Bauer, Roland Honeycutt, Ron Schepp, Ben Walker, Jeff Edwards. Row 5 - Dale Atchison, Randy Freeman, André Davidson, Pat Squirrel, Jeff Wyrick, Ben Walker, Jeff Edwards.





# Making the hustle and bustle of MGHS productive

Keeping up with the kids of today is sometimes exhausting and Mr. Baney found that being the sponsor of both Thespians and Key Clubs is no different.

Thespians started out the year with a masquerade ball which was open to the public. They had booths such as a football throw, cake walk, pie throwing contests, blackjack table, jail and a stockade booth.

These booths were set up along the walls of the cafeteria and in the middle of the room was dancing. Music was provided by Joe Hirsch.

Raising approximately \$200 they thought this was a spectacular money raising activity.

Although the Key Club did not have such an exotic money raising activity, their pop bottle drive did prove to be prosperous.

One of the biggest events of the year for the Thespians was the banquet held April 16 honoring all the old Thespian members. Everybody who had ever been a Thespian was invited to attend a potluck supper in the school cafeteria. The club was happy that many of the old members attended the banquet.

The main events for Key club were helping Kiwanis club with Apple day, Pancake day and the radio auction which was aired on KLRS-1360.

Filled with gratitude for the help and in admiration of the kids, the Kiwanis Club helps to pay for the trip Key Club decides to go on. This year they went to a Missouri/Arkansas convention held in Arkansas.

Being a member of either Key Club or Thespians, and even both of the clubs, helps one keep in touch with community growth and progress.

*Thespians:* Row 1 - Lori Nixon, Becky Clary, Kevin Prewett, Joy Cain, Mr. Baney - Sponsor, Becky Hopkins, Diane Doughty, Debbie Browning. Row 2 - Sheila Burnett, Rhonda McCulley, Yvonne Heim, Craig Fields, Melissa Hutsell, Michele Hampton, Crystal Seymour, Cara Wright, Debbie Deaton, Loren Roe. Row 3 - Tom Emery, Bruce Moore, Sue Danburg, Connie Winsor, Laura Hoover, Betty Hill, Sheri Fields, Cindy Burnside, Michele Foster, Mike Tollison, Beverlie Hough, Simmone Burke.



*Key Club:* Row 1 - Kevin Prewett, Terry Bell, Chris Adams, Craig Kjellberg, Kent Peterson. Row 2 - Mr. Baney - Sponsor, Mike Adams, Stephen Frazee, Mike

Murphy, Jay Whitehill, Micheal Dunn, Joe Sheldon, John Branson, Chris Smith, Jimmy Robertson, Mike Tyrell - Sponsor, Dale Crandel.





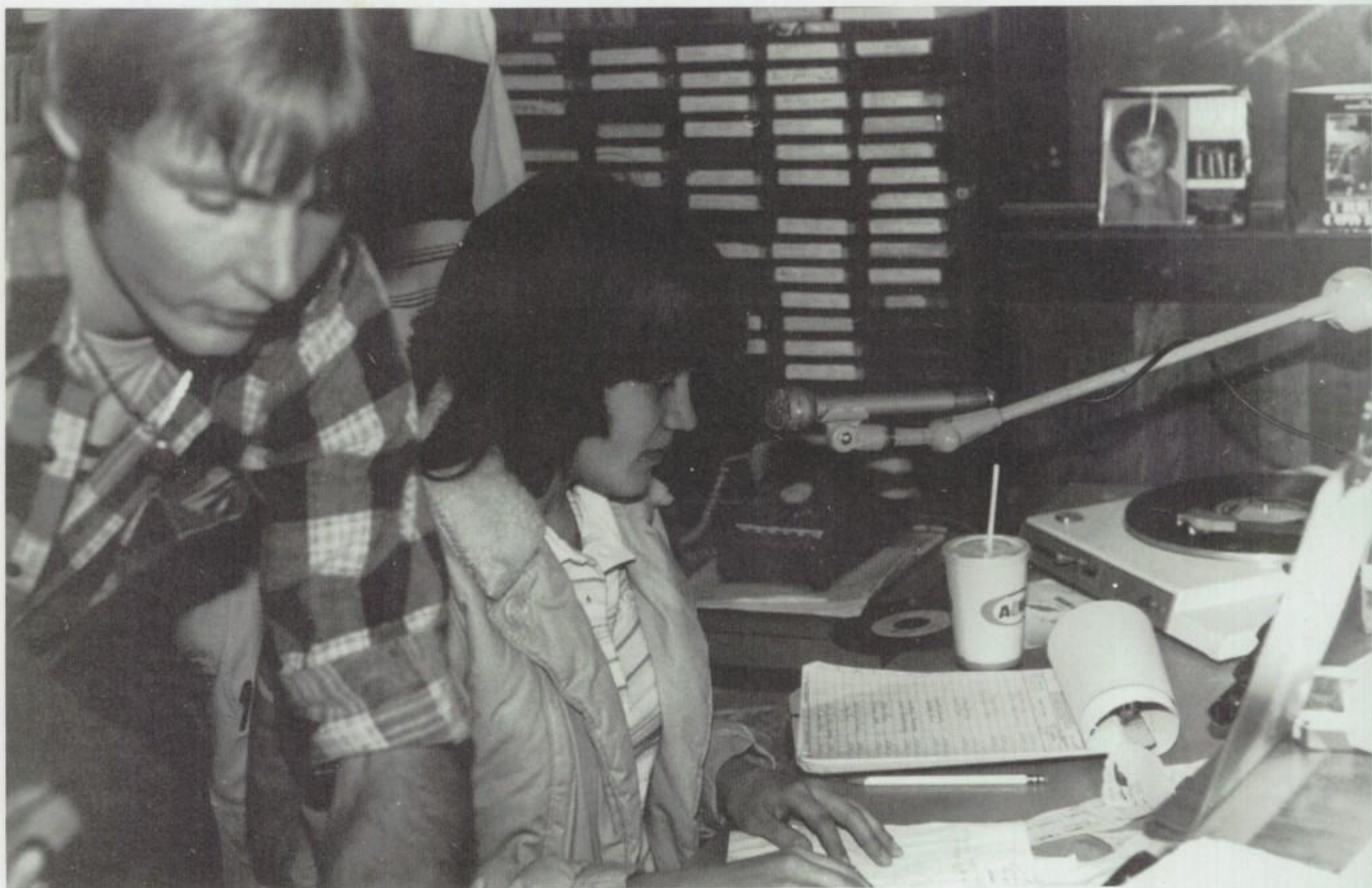


*Loren Roe and Mike Tollison had barrels of fun at the Thespians banquet.*



*Sheila Burnett and Bruce Moore enjoyed being part of the entertainment at the Thespians banquet.*





## Giving it their all for MGHS

The growing interest in the field of Journalism and network broadcast upped the membership in the Journalism Club a considerable 300% this year.

The fall trip consisted of a tour of KY 3 studio and shopping at the Mall and ended with a few bruises from Skateport.

Fund raisers for the Spring trip were selling notions along with a bake sale.

The Panther News staff earned money by selling ads, sponsoring a Haunted House and running the local radio station, KLRS-K-93, for an evening. The students brave enough to be disc jockeys were Chris Adams, Pat Rodery, Terri Green, Suzi Proctor, Mike Goodman, Terri Woods and

Janice Hopkins. Others took requests and helped find the music.

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*Jeff Vinger helps the newspaper staff as they take over K-93 for a night, while Terri Woods enters the world of becoming a D.J.*

*Sue Danburg wonders who's next as she passes out the 80-81 yearbooks.*







*Newspaper Staff:* Row 1 - David Miller - editor, Chris Adams, Debe Peterson - assistant editor, Tina Branson, Tara Curtis, Curtis Moody, Dwain Jennings. Row 2 - Tara Mayer, Cindy Clark, Dale Crandell, Chris Smith, Pat Rodery, Jeff Yoakam, Mike Goodman, Stanley Allomong. Row 3 - Kim Penner, Janice Hopkins, Lisa Smith, Terri Woods, Kris Hegle, Nancy Smith, Donna Carter, Tonya Knotts, Larissa Kemper, Lisa Bell.



*School Publications:* Row 1 - Shirley Dowden, Rhonda Parsons, Sue Danburg, Laura Hoover, Sherry Renfrow. Row 2 - David Miller, Chris Adams, Suzy Proctor, Violet Caldwell, Sarah Williams, Tilli Black, Margie Holman, Aleta Elliott. Row 3 - Donald Rogers, Curtis Moody, Dwain Jennings, Terri Green, Terri Christensen, Dana McGowan, Kecia Sanders.



*Journalism Club:* Row 1 - Debe Peterson - president, Chris Adams - vice president, Sarah Williams - secretary, David Miller - treasurer. Row 2 - Tonya Knotts, Chris Smith, Pat Rodery, Jeff Yoakam, Curtis Moody, Dwain Jennings. Row 3 - Donna Carter, Tilli Black, Rhonda Parsons, Lisa Bell, Dale Crandell, Tina Branson, Jenny Lawson. Row 4 - Cindy Clark, Lisa Smith, Tara Mayer, Kecia Sanders, Shirley Dowden, Suzy Proctor, Terri Green, Kim Penner, Aleta Elliott. Row 5 - Janice Hopkins, Teri Woods, Violet Caldwell, Terri Christensen, Dana McGowan, Nancy Smith, Tara Curtis, Mike Goodman, Margie Holman.



# VICA - Distinguishing themselves as winners

Vocational Industrial Clubs of America, combined with the morning and afternoon clubs, consists of 15 members. They have really been busy this year! They supplied the popcorn at the basketball games and brought back all the honors they could get their hands on from district and state contests.

District was held March 5 at School of the Ozarks at Point Lookout, Missouri. The opening and closing ceremony team with members Joe Hirsch, Brian McGownd, Billy Smart, David Zieber, Donna Prock, Lisa Johnston and David Altis brought back a third place win.

John Ratliff placed first in the sheet metal contest and Mike Goodman won first in the carpentry competition. Joe Hirsch placed second in extemporaneous speaking and Brian McGownd placed third in a job skill demonstration. Jeff Holman and Ted Jarrett had no competition in plumbing so they were automatically sent to state.

To top off all the superb winnings Joe Hirsch was elected as the new district president of VICA.

All of the members who placed at district went to Kansas City April 23-25 for state contest.

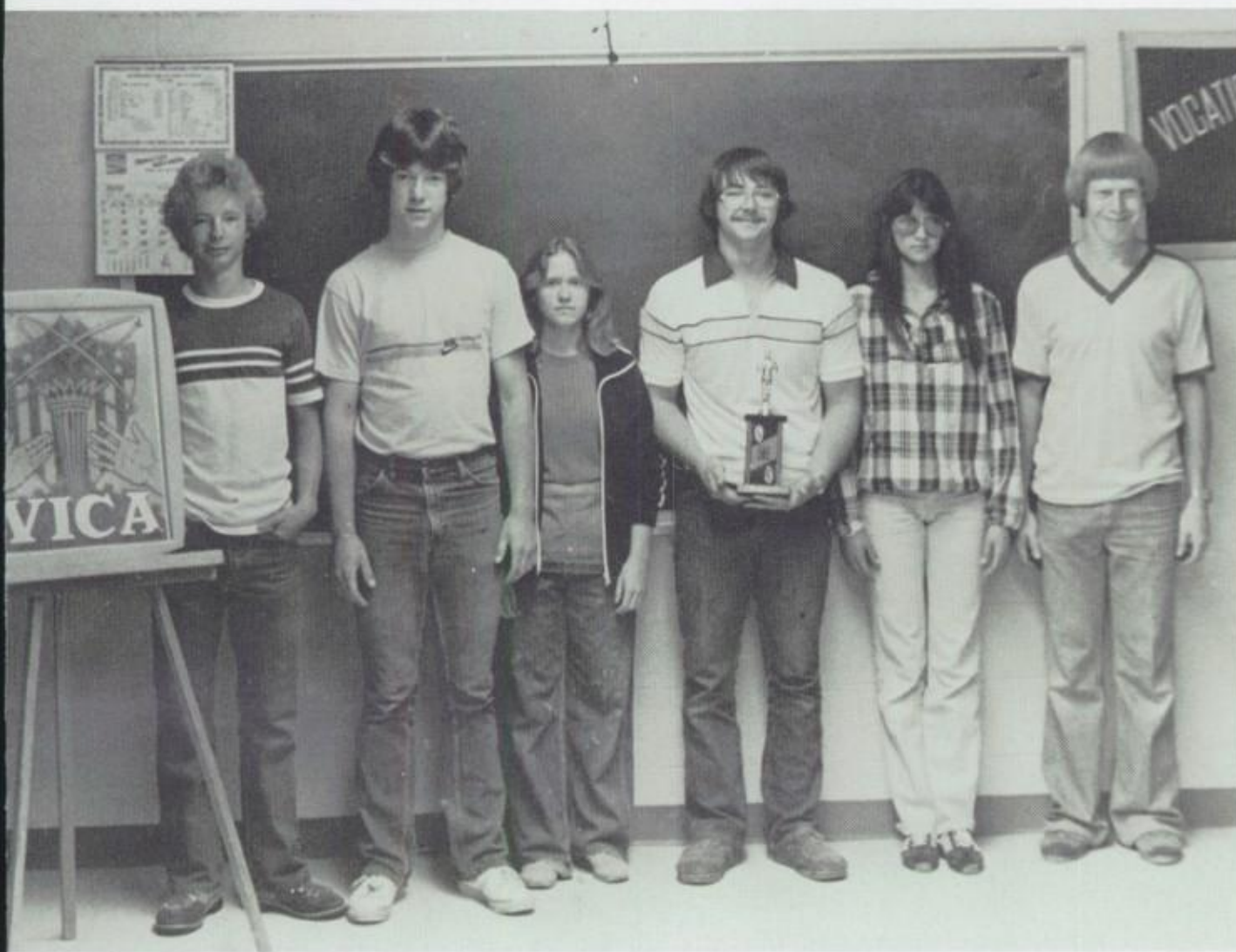


*Morning VICA:* Row 1 - Tim Scott, Teddy Jarret, Joe Hirsch, Brian McGownd, Billy Smart. Row 2 - Russell Lee - Sponsor, Ura Hardin - Sponsor. Not pictured Barry Ward.

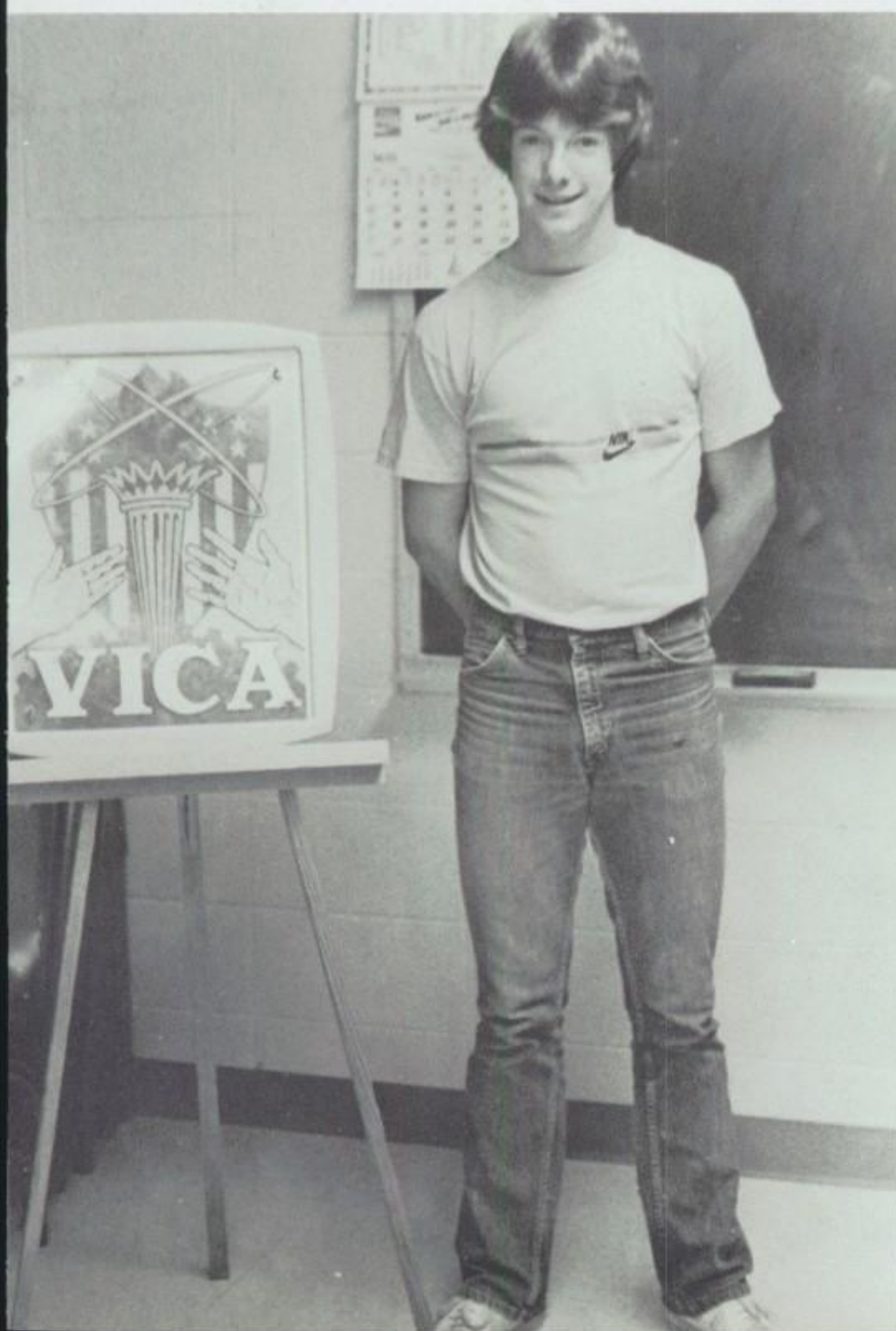


*Afternoon VICA:* Row 1 - David Altis - Reporter, Brian Mitchell - Treasurer, David Zieber - President, Jeff Holman - Parliamentarian, Mike Goodman - Vice President, John Ratliff - Chaplain, Donna Prock - Secretary. Row 2 - Russell Lee - Sponsor, Lisa Johnson, Randy Delcour, Ura Hardin - Sponsor.





*The opening and closing ceremony team consisted of members Billy Smart, Joe Hirsch, Lisa Johnson, David Zieber, Donna Prock, David Altis. Not shown Brian McGownd.*



*Pleased with the winnings brought back from District were: Row 1 - Donna Prock, Lisa Johnson, Mike Goodman, Billy Smart, John Ratliff. Row 2 - Joe Hirsch, Teddy Jarrett, Jeff Holman, David Zieber, David Altis. Not shown Brian McGownd.*

*Joe Hirsch was elected as the new district president for VICA.*



# DECA teaches students skills for careers

In the classroom, Marketing and Distributive Education students study in many areas. They become exposed to and able to perform the many skills, attitudes and tasks necessary for successful employment in the field of marketing and distribution of goods and services. A few of these areas are: sales and selling, advertising, buying, pricing, customer and human relations, communications, business math and business operations.

All encompassing areas, such as business operations, business management, financial management and personal management also help them as individual consumers in their personal lives.

In Distributive Education Clubs of America (DECA), students further their learning experience in actual participation of an organization. They have sales projects to finance activities, career development conferences to exchange ideas and knowledge with other clubs, and further experience actual practice of classroom training.



*Morning DECA:* Row 1 - Jody Miller, Connie Davis, Janice Totten, Betty Nielsen, Cathy Cook, Wanda Goodman, Crystal Lakey. Row 2 - Mr. Norman, Cathy Clopp, Terrie Robertson.



*Afternoon DECA:* Row 1 - Dru Williams, Rosemary McIntosh, Beverlie Hough, Debbie Mead, Mike Tollison. Row 2 - Sponsor - Mr. Norman, Regina Campbell, Tim Ritter, Randy Greene, Pat Mills.





*Rosemary McIntosh enjoys working at the A&W.*

*Along with the activities in DECA, Debbie Mead is also involved in Flag Corps.*

*Rhonda Parsons thinks the service is good at the A&W as she is served by DECA student, Rosemary McIntosh.*



# MGHS clubs going full force

An outlandish initiation was the highlight of the M Club activities which were wound up with a float trip in May.

Having a refrigerator filled with cans of pop in the locker room provided the boys with the funds needed for their floating expedition.

Also, M Club members were often lending helping hands to the Sideliner's activities.

The Math and Science Club members were kept busy this year.

Along with the usual activities of the club, the members were helping purchase a computer. They also bought a disc for the computer.

The members learned of different solutions to problems by going to tournaments.



*M Club:* Row 1 - Craig Kjellberg, Kenny Pridemore, Randy Gaddis, Robert Douglass, Bill Freeman, Billy Williams, Chris Adams. Row 2 - Brian McGownd, Jeff Yoakam, Barry Ward.



*Math and Science:* Row 1 - Rhonda McCulley, Greg Davis, Kevin Prewett. Row 2 - Mr. Finney - Sponsor, Elaine Dalton, Doug Coday, Jimmy Duey, Jan Townsend - Sponsor. Row 3 - Keith Cope, Donald Rogers, Wesley Jones, Rick LaFevers, Myron Dennis, Rob Walsh.





Foreign Cultures: Row 1 - Lisa Bell, Nancy Smith, Liz Ward, Jim March, Michele Foster, Jim Garrett, Cindy Burnside. Row 2 - Mr. Strop - Sponsor, Greg Mitchell, Kim Collins, Marsha Stofer, Gina Griffin, Kris Hegle.

# Chess and Foreign Cultures sponsored by one

As the sponsor of both Chess and Foreign Cultures Clubs Mr. Strop was often involved in the student's activities. There were either club trips or chess tournaments to attend, including monthly club meetings.

Chess Club was involved in approximately four tournaments in schools ranging from Niangua to Springfield to West Plains. They also sponsored their own tournament in Mountain Grove. Seventy-nine challenges took place declaring the tourney a success.

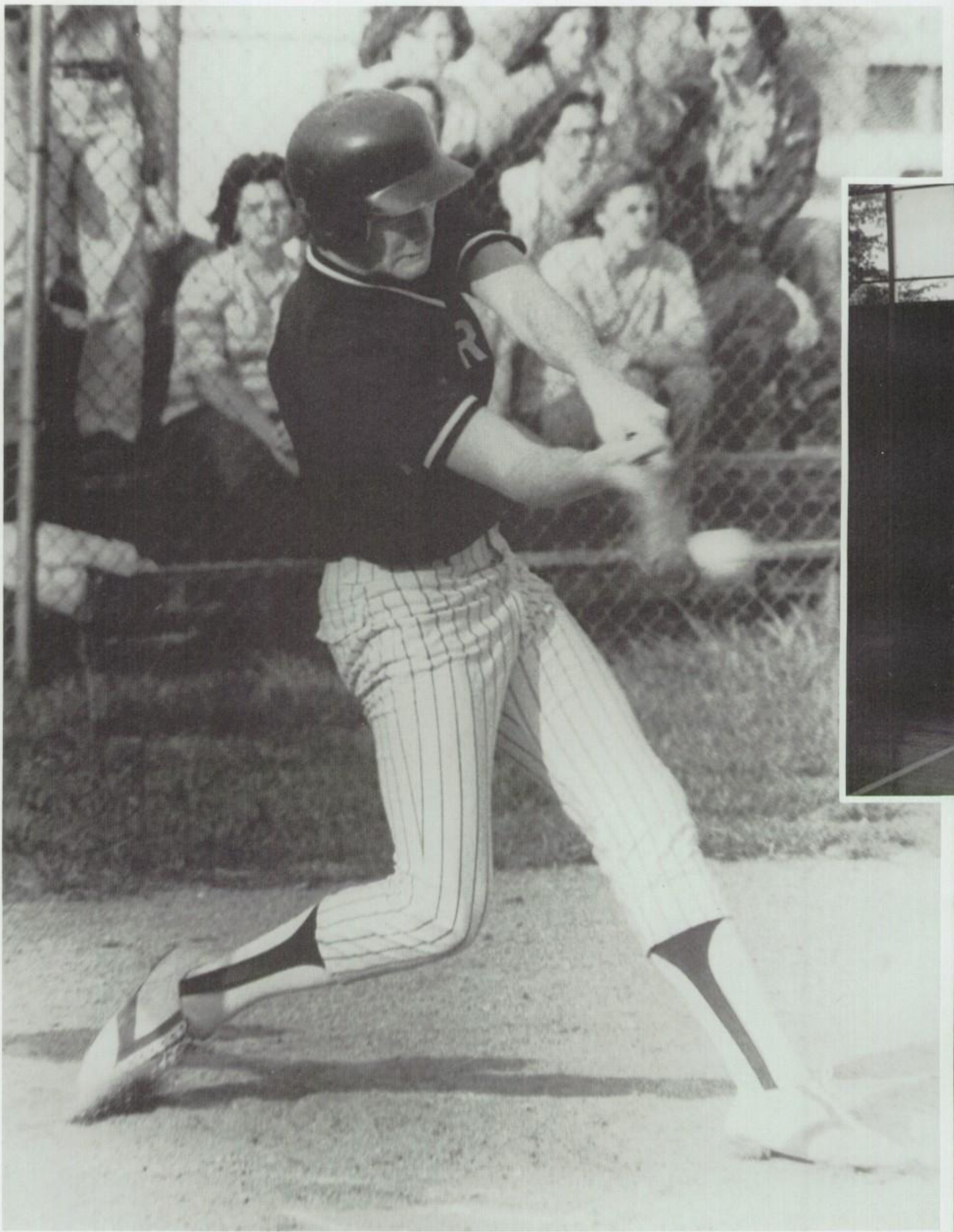
While the Chess Club was busy checking and check mat-ing the Foreign Cultures Club was enjoying eating at the local Japanese restaurant, The Oriental Bazaar, where they tasted a portion of the Japanese culture.

As well as eating out, the Foreign Cultures Club learned about foreign countries from guest speakers and slide shows.



Chess: Row 1 - Mr. Strop - Sponsor, Brian Fields, Bruce Moore, Bill Komons, Craig Fields, Micheal Dunn, Joe Sheldon. Row 2 - Jim Duey, Donald Ratterree, Dewey Bender.







# Go for it Go for it Go for it Go for it



Putting all of his power behind this swing, Robert Douglass tries for a home run.

Marla Douglass shows good form for a spike.

As he nears the end, Steve Coffman accelerates more speed to put his opponents farther behind at the finish line.

## Sports

Many students at MGHS show their athletic ability by participating in one or more of the different sports offered.

In the fall some students get involved in the Cross Country program, while many of the boys show their talent on the Panther football field. The volleyball court is also a place where the girls display their ability.

As this season ends a new one begins. Winter gives both boys and girls a chance to show their basketball skills as proved by them this past year.

Baseball and track ends the sports year at MGHS. A lot of hard work, sweat, long hours of practice and winning is what makes the sports at MGHS worthwhile.

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## With an array of underclassmen - 1980 - A rebuilding year

In the minds of many and considering Mountain Grove's rich football tradition, this year's varsity football season had to be regarded as disappointing. Beset with a confusing start and offensive problems, the gridgers struggled to a 5-5 overall record. Coach Frank

Magruda summed up the season in saying, "1980 was a rebuilding year; the players won some exciting ball games and had some tough losses. They improved throughout the season giving them a strong group for 1981."

Coach Magruda went on to comment, "We have a good group of sophomores and juniors to build the team around. We have a good nucleus."

The season began with a loss to a tough Ozark team in a non-conference contest. The offense had trouble holding onto the ball and Ozark took advantage of the Panther's mistakes. By far the season's most thrilling game took place at home against arch rival Houston. The Panthers scored with only seconds remaining to secure a 7-6 victory.

The offense had trouble getting points on the board throughout the middle of the season but seemed to come alive at the end of the season.

Mountain Grove stomped Cabool 36-16 and proceeded to stop winless Gainesville 28-0.

Individual performances brought credit to Mountain Grove's football program. Senior Robert Douglass received All-Conference honors as tight end, and All-Ozark honors as a defensive end.

Junior Barry Ward earned All-Conference second team running back. Randy Gaddis connected on 19 of 20 extra point attempts, and had an excellent season as defensive guard.

Since youth dominated this year's Panthers-only six seniors on the squad-next season should be a banner year, with the entire backfield and defensive secondary returning with added experience. With all of that going for them, the 1981 Panther football team will be going for a SCA crown.



*Panther footballers go through their stretching exercising before an important game.*

*Coach Frank Magruda breaks the huddle after team prayer, a tradition to Panther football.*

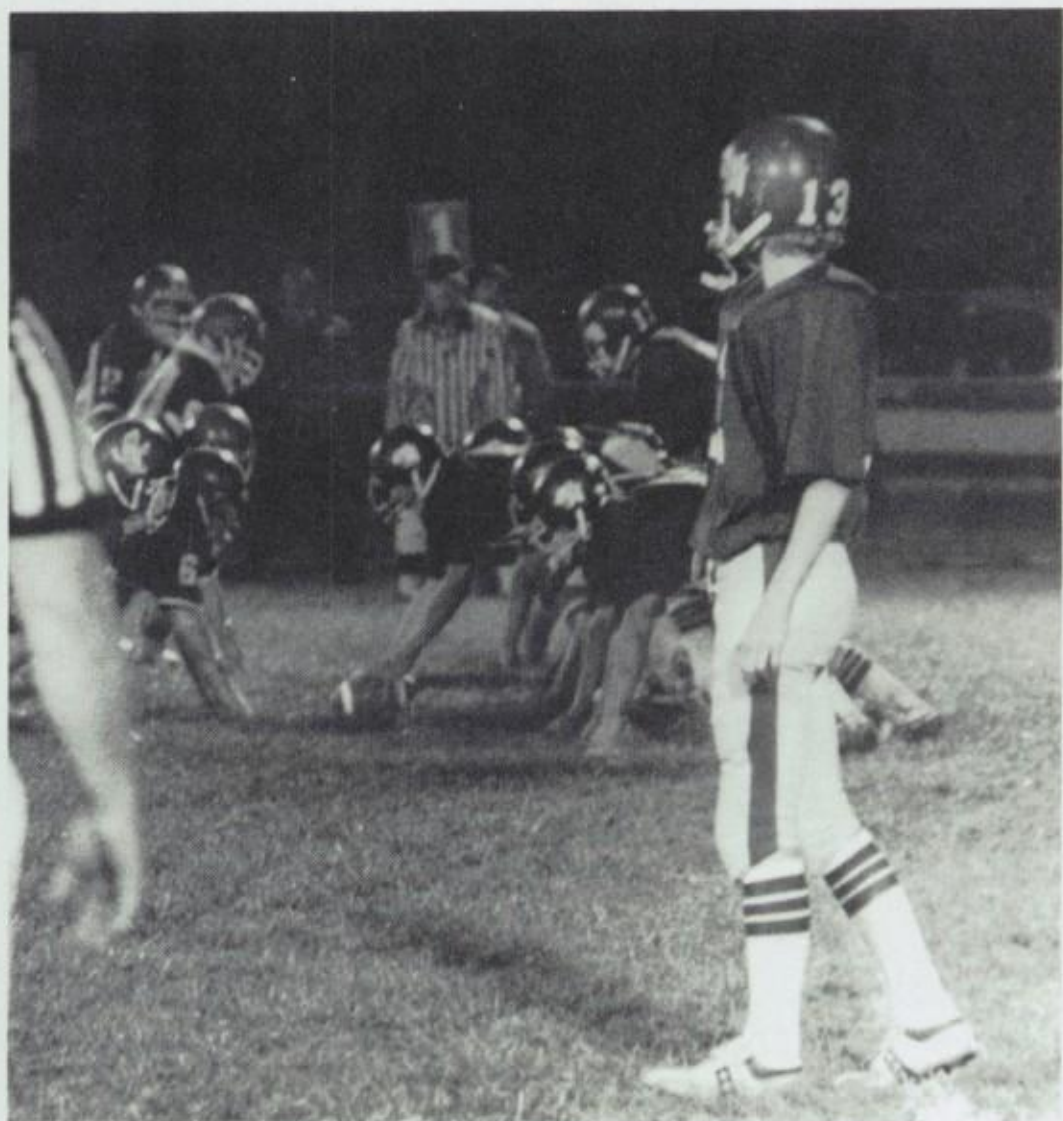






*Junior defensive back Kenny Pride-  
more takes position to defend off an  
enemy blocker.*

*The Panther offense explodes off the  
line in an attempt to gain yardage  
against Ozark.*



*Billy Smart, a junior split end, listens  
to the quarterback's signals.*



# 1980 - A rebuilding year

To: A VERY NICE Girl,  
and to whom I have  
Enjoyed Being Friends  
with the Past Few Years  
Take care in the future  
Love ya  
Shannon



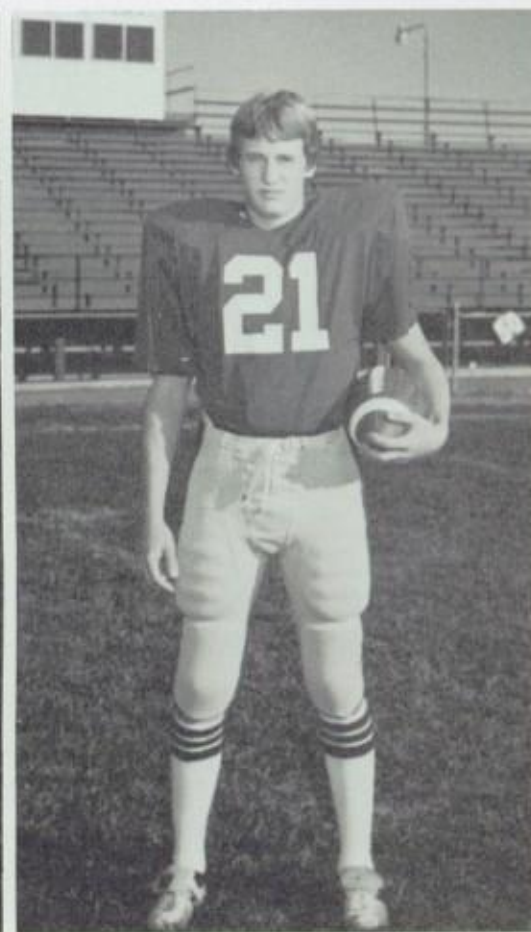
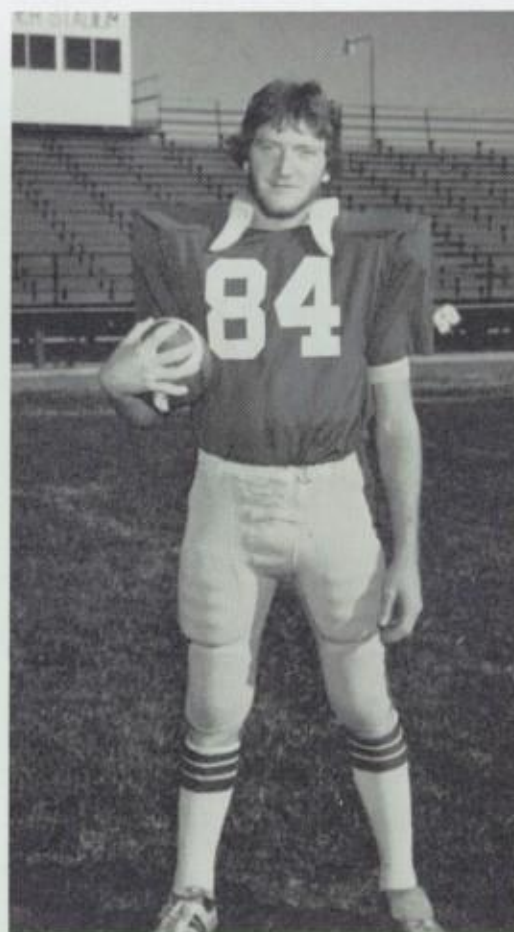
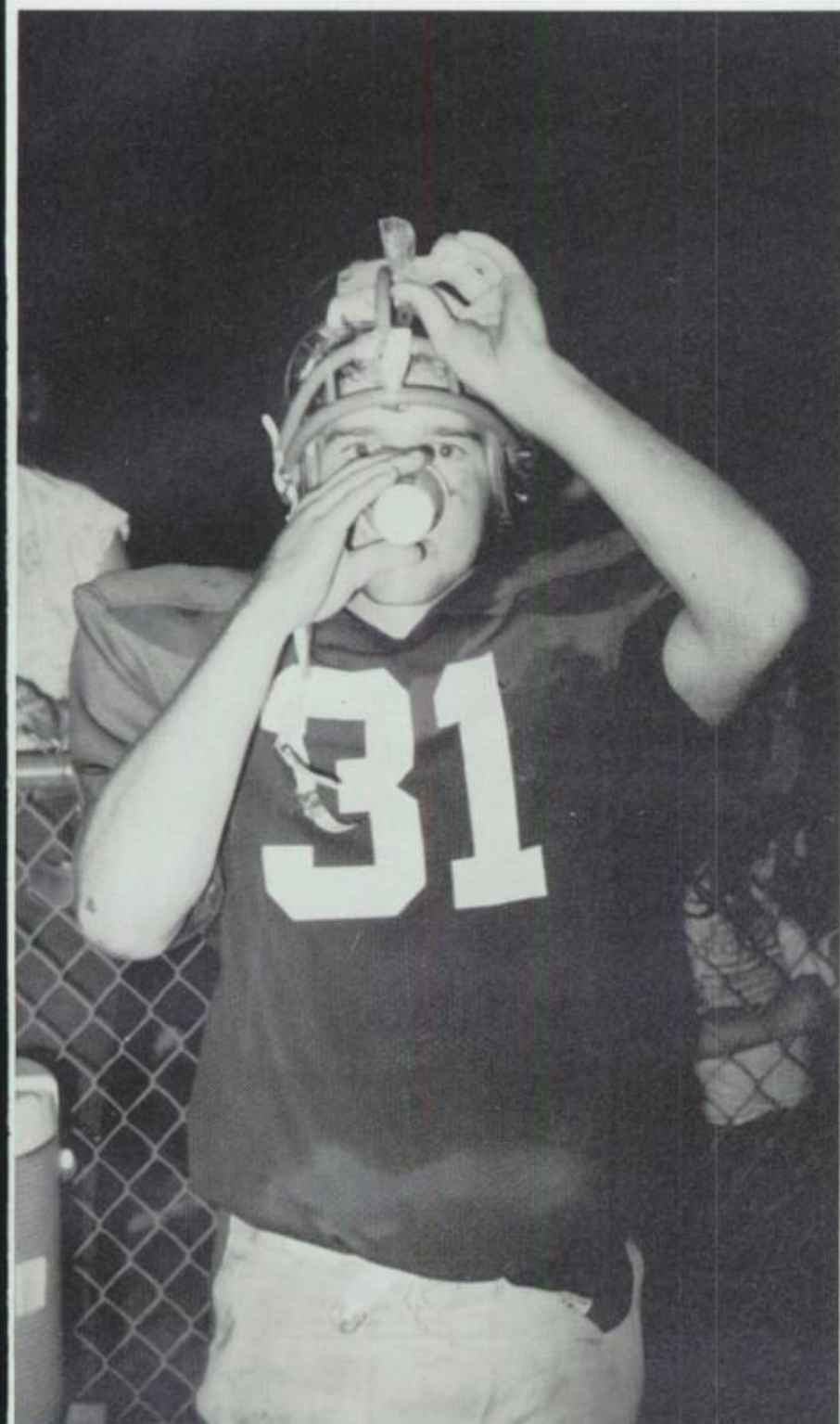
The 1980 Panther Football Team: Row 1 - Gary Robertson, Dale Crandall, Dale Robertson, Keith Chambers, Steve Wade, Mark Harris, Steve Coffman, Steve Frazee, Billy Smart, Burl Williams. Row 2 - Shannon Richey, Randy Rhodes, Donnie Rutz, Eric Hofsomer, Kenny Pridemore,

David Robertson, Kevin McGowan, David Radar, Brian McGowan, Mark Morris, John Dalton. Row 3 - Steve Kutler, Jeff Thornhill, Randy Gaddis, Steve Douglass, Kim Pamperien, Jimmy Liska, Robert Douglass, Rick Lafever, Eddie Fogerson, Barry Ward, Chris Adams.

Following a Panther touchdown, the extra point team prepares to block out the Liberty Eagles.







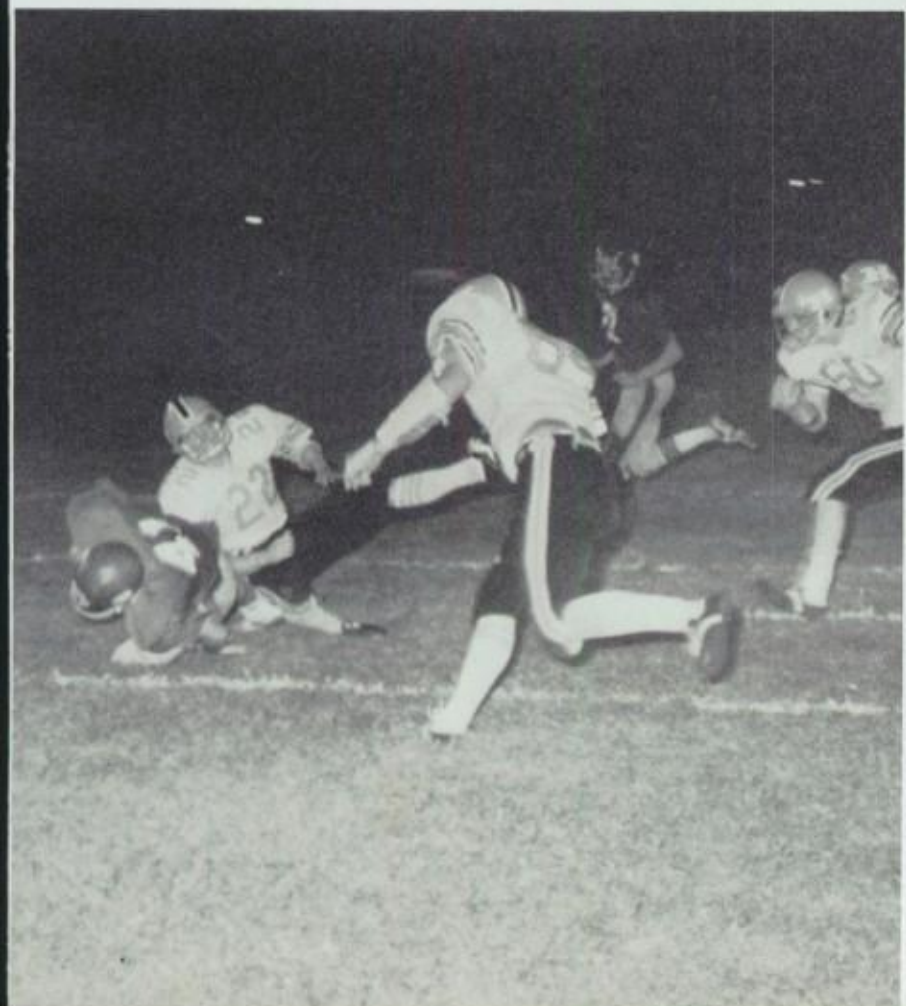
*Senior David Robertson takes time during the Houston ballgame to get a drink. Robertson, one of the six seniors on the team, played an important role in the win over the Tigers.*

*Robert Douglass, a senior tight end and defensive end, earned All Conference and All Ozark honors. Junior Barry Ward (right) gained 2nd Team All Conference honors at running back.*



*Toward the end of the game, Barry Ward prevents a Houston ball carrier from scoring.*

*Junior tailback Kenny Pridemore dives over the goal line for the touchdown that tied the Houston Tigers. Randy Gaddis kicked the winning extra point to beat the Tigers 7-6.*





# The freshman football team ended their Jr. High football career with an excellent season and will soon be **Moving up**

Thrilling and close games highlighted the 1980 campaign for the freshman football team. The first game of the year was a forerunner to the 3-0-2 season. The Panthers nipped the Cabool Bulldogs by a score of 6-0. Tommy Ellis scored the only touchdown for Mountain Grove.

The offensive line was the key to the year. The young Panthers in the trenches opened holes in the defense for the running backs to speed through. Leading the scoring was David Richardson with three touchdowns. Tommy Ellis and William Brown followed by scoring two touchdowns apiece. Dennis Klarenbeek and Ricky Dugger completed the scoring for the year by each adding one touchdown.

The entire defense played a big part in the freshmen's success. The team consistently stopped the opponent from scoring and allowed only three touchdowns in the 1980 season.

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*David Richardson dives to gain all the extra yardage possible.*

*William Brown is stopped by two opposing players in one of the season's games.*

*Vince Hilt, Jeff Stigall and Tommy Ellis add their last efforts in a defensive play.*



*David Richardson executes a swift move to miss tackle.*







*The eighth grade offense breaks their huddle and prepares to carry the ball to a touchdown for the Panthers.*



## 8th at 4-1

Under the direction of coach Jim Breedlove, basic skills the eighth grade team learned last year proved to be the advantage over other opponents.

The squads only blemish in their 4-1 record came at the hands of Willow Springs. The Bears beat the young Panthers by a score of 20-8.

The defense for the eighth graders stopped most all other teams. They allowed only three touchdowns over the course of the year.

Every Panther player contributed to the best of their ability on the offensive side of the coin. Top scorers for the team included John Douglass with five touchdowns on the year. Following closely with four touchdowns was John Hopkins. Chris Ray succeeded in reaching pay dirt three times during the year.



*Quarterback Mike Hyde hands the ball off to Steve Hall as the offensive players break the way to a touchdown.*

*Ray Mabe watches on as John Douglass kicks off to the opposing team.*



A 5-0 record turned in by the 7th grade football team brightens the outlook as they will be

# Moving up



The Mountain Grove seventh grade football squad combined the teams many outstanding individual performers, and ended the season with an undefeated record, 5-0. The offensive aspect of the team roared down the field for an average of 30 points a game; while the defense kept all but two opponents from scoring.

Individual performances stood out this season. Running back Russell Ballinger scored 11 touchdowns on the season. Talented Dennis Hodges, quarterback for the seventh graders, added three touchdowns.

The seventh and eighth grade football teams practiced together in the same time slot. With the two teams practicing at the same time, the younger team learned from the older, more experienced group.



*Russel Ballinger heads for one of the 11 touchdowns he scored in the 1980 season.*

*R.Z. Brown and Darrell Newberry watch on anxiously in hopes that the Panthers will recover the football.*

*Quarterback Dennis Hodges informs the team of their next play.*

*The seventh grade gridders proved successful with an undefeated season.*







*Freshman Football:* Row 1 - David Richardson, Terry Richardson, Charlie Spreitzer, Terry Collins, Kevin Mitchell, Ricky Dugger, Derrick Hutsell, Timmy Carter, Ricky Gaddis, Jerry Driskell, Steve Hirsch.

Row 2 - Jeff Smith, Andy Litty, Dennis Klarenbeek, William Brown, Shawn Brown, Vince Hilt, Tommy Ellis, John Amundson, Jeff Stigall, Dwight Fry.



*Eighth Grade Football:* Row 1 - Tony Courtney, Doug Chadwell, Faron Lathrom, Brent Halfard, Greg Raney, Howard Carter, Tommy Nash, Dale Lawson, Mike Postlewait, Benji Hurtt, Billy Adamson, Wes Housley. Row 2 - Dennis Hall, Chad Adams, David Turner, Chance Sanders, Tracey Collins, Russell Smith, Ray

Mabe, Dean Adams, John Hopkins, Kevin Phillips, David Elliott, Tommy Cudworth, David Andrews. Row 3 - Randy Emery, Joe Shannon, Kerry Dunn, Doug Sparks, Chris Ray, John Douglass, Shawn Connor, Connie Prock, Russell Delcour, Mike Hyde, Steve Hall, Mark Schuester.



*Seventh Grade Football:* Row 1 - Todd Hungerford, David Parmentor, Tim Nunn, Randy Mabe, Brad Brown, Daryl Hopkins, Dennis Hodges, Greg Westfall, Curtis Harris, James Cruse. Row 2 - Ronald Wakefield, Mike Prock, R.Z. Brown, Tony Emery, Danny Smart,

Donny Freeman, Mike Bruce, Kyle Smith, Darrell Newberry, Terry Hicks. Row 3 - Steven Turner, Shane Coffman, Jerry Bradshaw, Kevin Hicks, Russel Ballinger, Steven Weyrauch, Doug Moore, Dale Amundson, Troy Blunt.

### Freshman Football

	MG	Opp.
Cabool	6	0
Willow Springs	6	6
Salem	22	8
Gainesville	24	0
West Plains	8	8

### Eighth Football

	MG	Opp.
Cabool	36	8
Ava	28	8
West Plains	8	0
Willow Springs	8	20
Houston	30	6

### Seventh Football

	MG	Opp.
Cabool	24	6
Ava	46	24
West Plains	30	0
Willow Springs	26	0



# The turning point

For the Panther volleyball team a new coach helped up their season record from 9-14 to 13-7

Under the direction of new coach Stephanie Miller, the varsity volleyball squad experienced an enthusiastic season, improving their 9-14 record from last year to 13-7 this year.

The girls did not go unnoticed during their season as they captured second place in the West Plains tournament.

*Missy Ward led the JV squad in their scoring before being moved up to the varsity squad.*

Finishing the year with a 6-3 conference mark, the Panthers ended their season with the second best record in the SCA conference following West Plains.

The squad had an impressive stat sheet from the 1980 season with 85 percent of their serves good and 67 percent successful bumps.

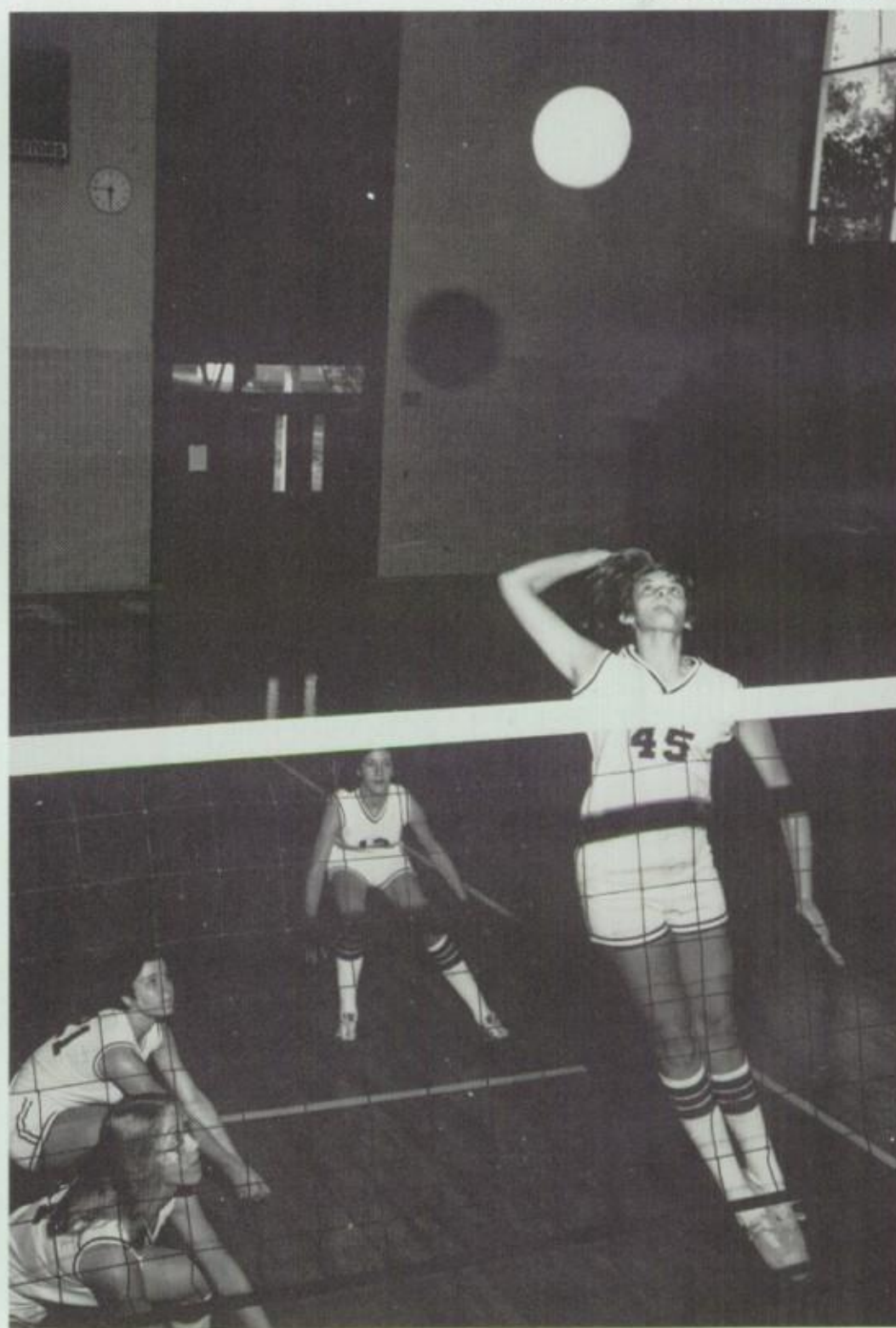
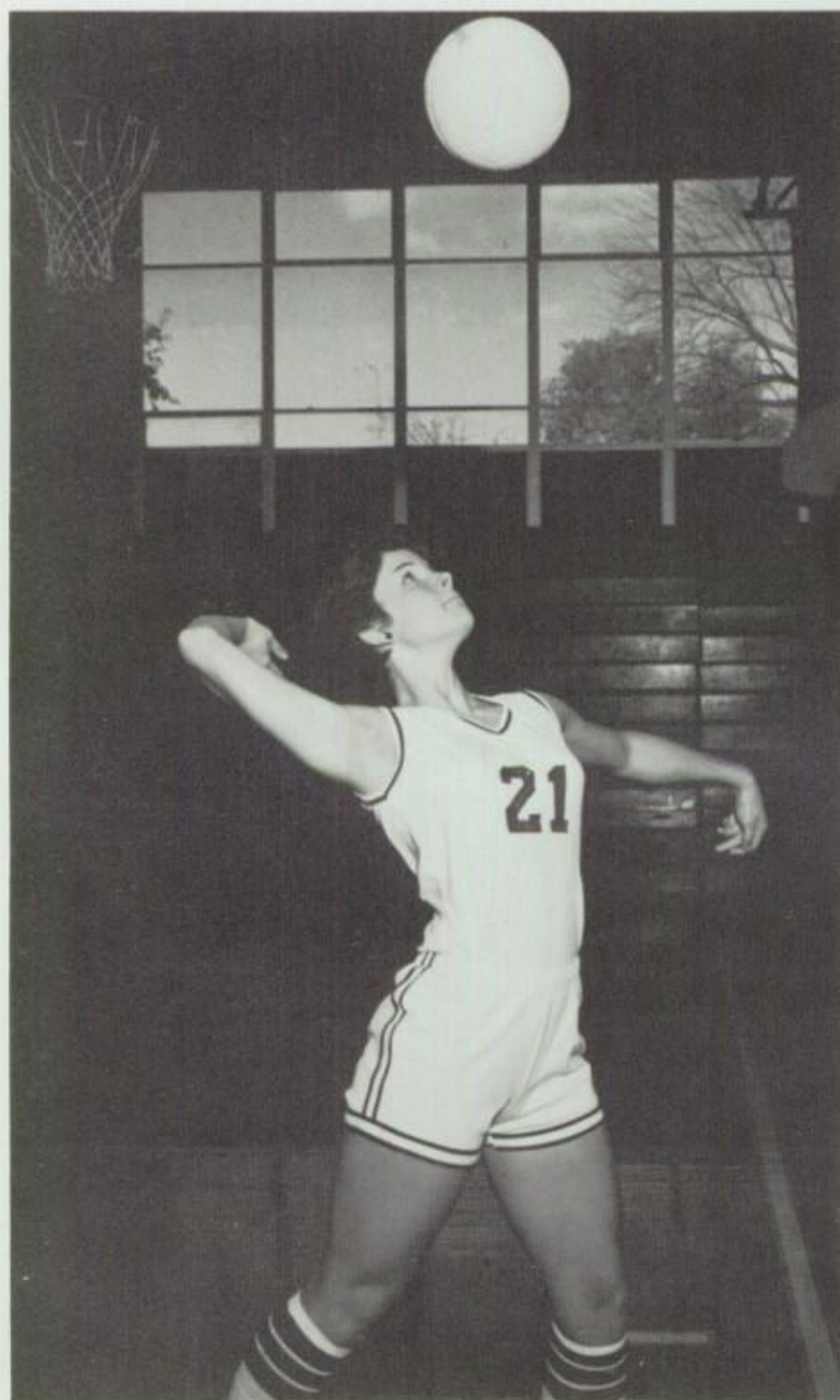
The Panthers were led by

Marla Douglass who was selected to the All-Conference First Team and Kim Penner who earned Honorable Mention.

Getting 95 percent of her serves over the net, Vernica Carter was the leading scorer.

The support of the Panther volleyball fans showed the girls their hard work was worth it all.

*Earning SCA Honorable Mention, Kim Penner contributed to a winning season.*







*The varsity top server, Vernica Carter prepares to serve the ball to the opposing team.*

*Marla Douglass proved her skill in volleyball by capturing a spot on the SCA First Team.*



# The turning point

A squad of first year players kept a never stop attitude

With the varsity squad turning a winning season the JV squad experienced their ups and downs learning from their mistakes. Having no graduating seniors on the JV volleyball team they will have another season to earn a winning record.

The Panther JV volleyball squad combined team effort and first year experience to end a season with a record of six wins and eight losses.

The JV squad got off to a slow start losing their first game, but began a retaliatory effort soon after with four consecutive wins. The team continued to win intermittently.

Leading the JV lineup was Robin Hicks, Dani Swofford, Lynne Crandall, Trish Palmer, Donna Davidson and Shelly Collins.

*JV team captain Dana Swofford concentrates on her serves.*

*Donna Davidson, Dana Swofford, Robin Hicks, Lynne Crandall and Debbie Deaton huddle around Coach Miller to find out their next offensive play to be put into action against their competitors.*



## Varsity Volleyball

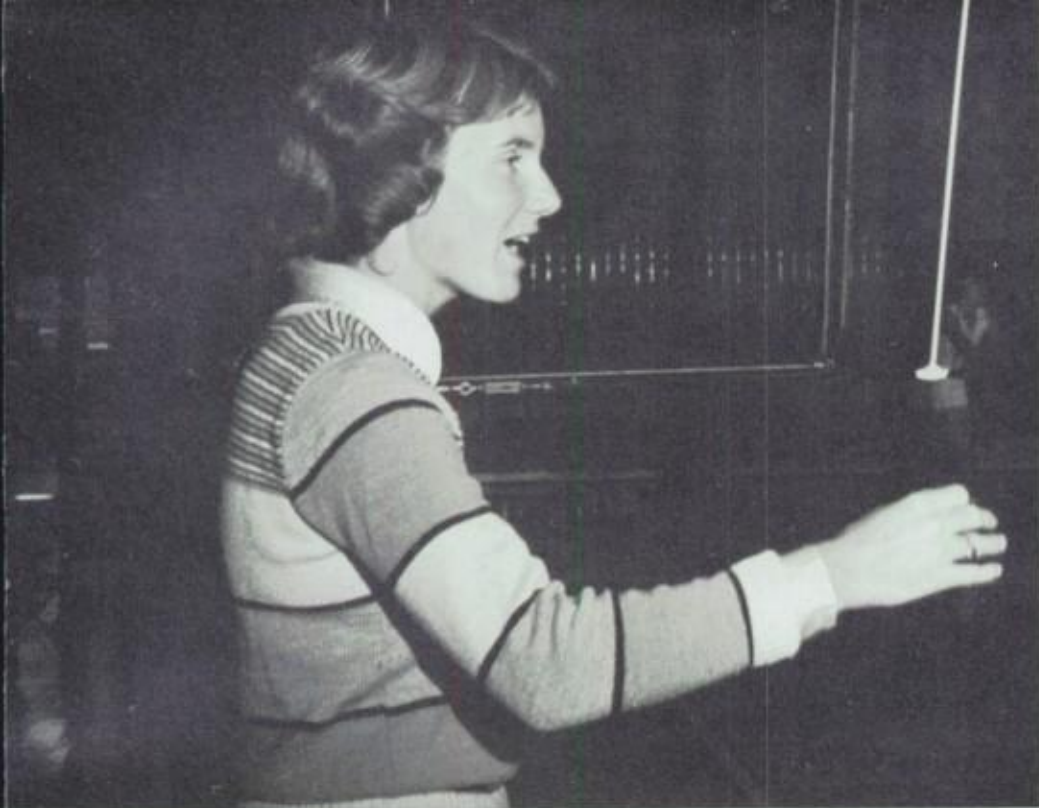
	MG	Opp.
Salem	8	15
	12	15
Liberty	15	8
	15	10
West Plains	7	15
	7	15
Gainesville	15	13
	15	6
Seymour	10	15
	16	14
	15	4
Ava	15	13
	16	14
Mansfield	15	11
	15	17
	15	11
Houston	15	10
	11	15
	13	15
Thayer	15	5
	15	13
Cabool	15	13
	15	11
Willow Springs	5	15
	15	4
	15	10
West Plains	5	15
	7	15
Summersville	15	6
	15	11
Willow Springs	13	15
	11	15

## West Plains Tournament Second Place

## J.V. Volleyball

	MG	Opp.
Salem	2	15
	9	15
Liberty	15	5
	15	7
West Plains	10	15
	3	15
Gainesville	15	5
	6	15
	15	7
Seymour	3	15
	15	9
	15	11
Ava	15	13
	15	8
Mansfield	15	9
	15	5
Houston	3	15
	3	15
Thayer	13	15
	15	12
	14	16
Cabool	15	9
	15	13
Willow Springs	15	3
	8	15
	11	15
West Plains	4	15
	0	15
Summersville	5	15
	5	15
Willow Springs	14	16
	15	5
	12	15





*Stephanie Miller experienced her first year of coaching as she skillfully led her team down victory road to a 13-7 mark.*



*Denise Schilling adds an essential play to up the Panther's score.*

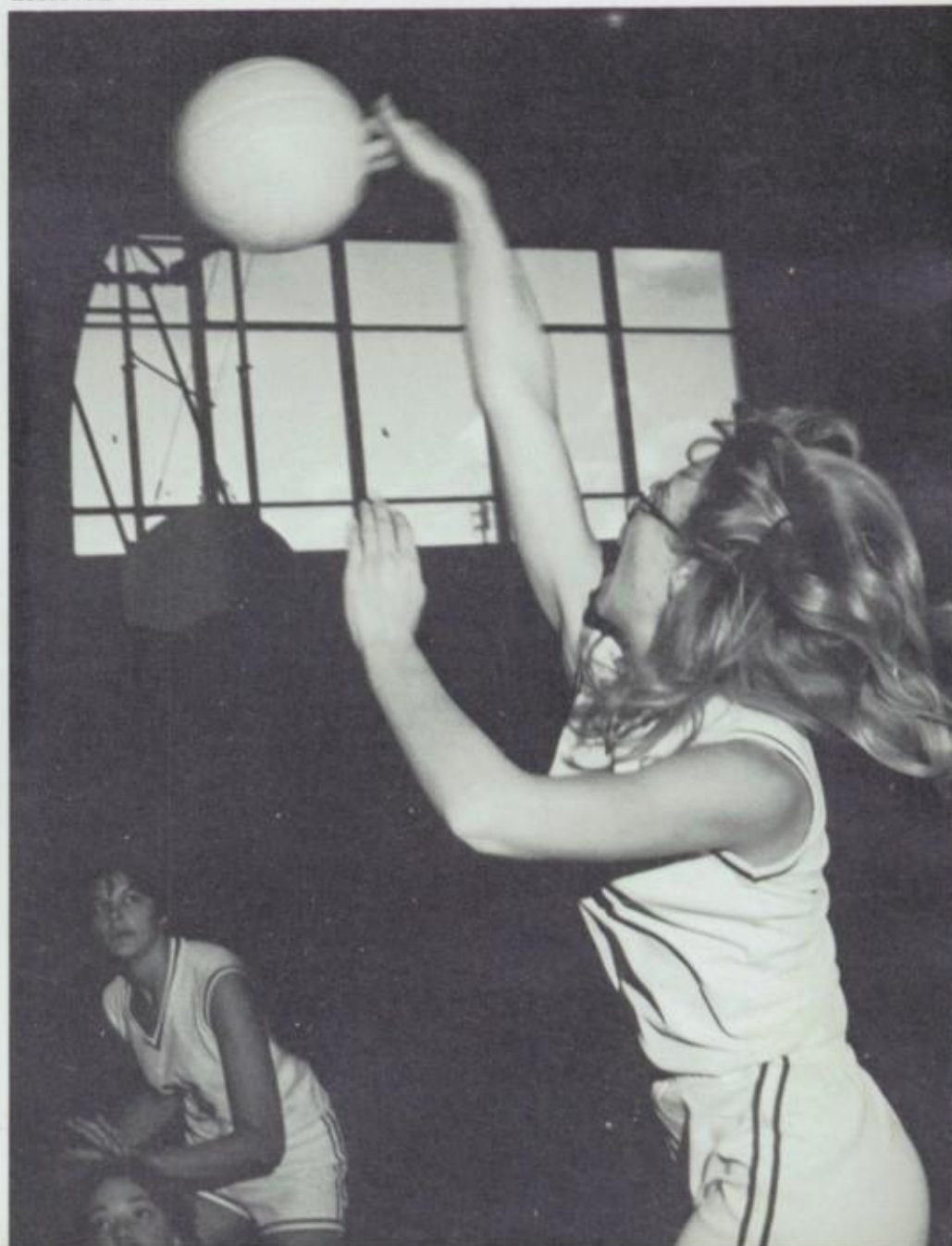
*As Denise Schilling and Kim Penner hopefully look on, JoBeth Spurgeon comes up to spike the ball for another point to lead her team to a well deserved win.*



*Varsity Volleyball Panthers: Row 1 - Denise Schilling, Tammy Bell, Missy Ward. Row 2 - Marla Douglass, JoBeth Spurgeon, Kim Penner, Vernica Carter.*



*J.V. Volleyball Panthers: Row 1 - Trish Palmer, Shelly Collins, Debbie Deaton, Donna Davidson. Row 2 - Lynne Crandall, Debbie Browning, Robin Hicks, Dana Swofford, Shelly Mooney.*









# "You always want to do better, and that's the . . . Motivation behind success."

For only a second year team, this year's cross country runners made quite a name for themselves as nine qualified for the state championships. They included Jeff Yoakam, Bill Freeman, Craig Kjellberg, Chris Smith, Kelly Schudy, David Miller, Penny Mitchell and Margaret Miller.

"Our goal this year was to improve over last year. In light of that, I would say that our expectations have been met," said Coach Terry Azevedo.

For the boys, improvement began to show early in the season as they won their first two meets, placed fourth in the West Plains medal meet and placed second behind the defending 4-A state champion Zizzers on their fourth and fifth meets of the season. The boys team took another fourth at a highly competitive meet in

Springfield. In that meet Mountain Grove defeated Lebanon, Joplin Parkwood, Glendale, Hillcrest and Waynesville.

Coach Azevedo said, "It would be hard to pick out one performance as the best because of the different levels of competition. I think we had three meets that rated as excellent performances: District, State and the SMSU Relays."

At the SMSU Relays, Mountain Grove tied with Kickapoo for second place behind West Plains.

The boys went on to take first at District on October 25 and eighth in the State Championships.

For the girls improvement was slow at the beginning of the season. They too faced stiff competition by the name of West Plains. But, as Azevedo said, "The girls were getting

very competitive at the end of the season."

The girl's runners placed sixth at District competition, not well enough to qualify as a team but Margaret Miller and Penny Mitchell placed in the top 20 to qualify for the State Championships.

Coach Azevedo has reason to look forward to next season. The team has returning lettermen including juniors David Miller, Chris Smith, Mike Peterson and sophomores John Branson, Mike Murphy, Margaret Miller and Marsha Stofer.

"A lot will depend on continued improvement from returning runners and filling in the spots left open by graduating seniors. If we get the help from next year's sophomores that we got from this year's sophomores, we will have a fairly solid team." Azevedo commented.

*Chris Smith pushes toward the finish line in a meet at West Plains.*



Members of the 1980 boys cross country team: Row 1 - Mike Murphy, John Ballinger, Kelly Schudy, Craig Kjellberg, Mike Peterson. Row 2 - Coach

Terry Azevedo, Rob Walsh, John Branson, Jeff Yoakam, Bill Freeman, David Miller, Chris Smith, Clark Mikelson.



Members of the 1980 girls cross country team: Row 1 - Tara Mayer, Penny Mitchell, Margaret Miller.

Row 2 - Teri Woods, Marsha Stofer, Aleta Elliott.



# Motivation behind success.



*Sophomore Margaret Miller proved to be one of the top two girl runners.*

*The J.V. runners ready themselves for the start of another race.*





*In the early stages of a race at West Plains, Marsha Stofer leads senior Penny Mitchell, the lead Penny eventually overcame to place tenth overall in the race.*



*The member of the boys team that won District and went to state. Row 2 - Jeff Yoakam, Bill Peterson, David Miller. Row 1 - Kelly Schudy, Mike Freeman, Craig Kjellberg, Chris Smith.*



*In a junior varsity race Mike Murphy and John Ballinger chase John Branson and Rob Walsh to the finish line.*

*Junior Jeff Yoakam strides to the end of the West Plains medal meet.*

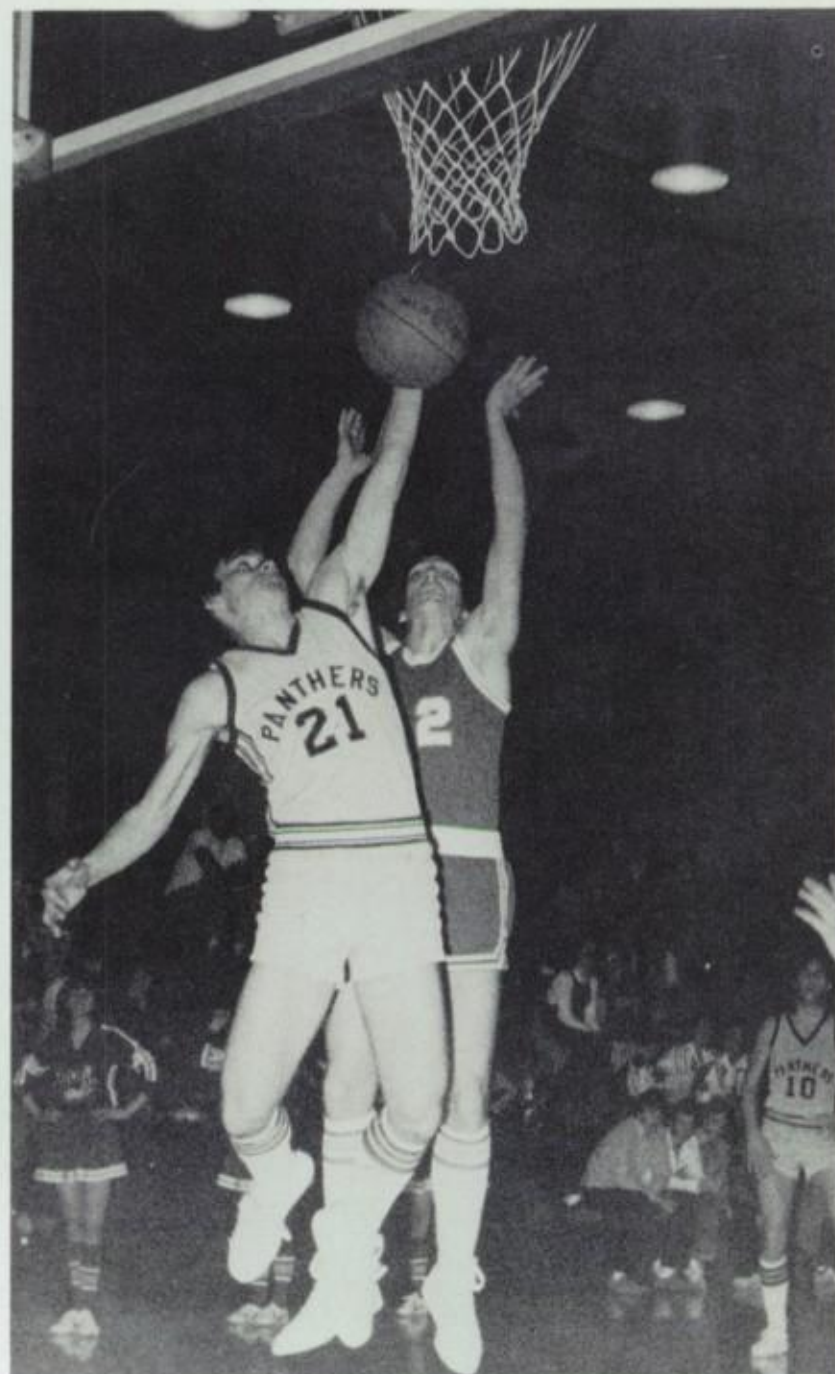








With only two seniors starting MGHS amazed all, and came . . .



## 5 points from undefeated season

This basketball season brought one exciting game after another. It was evident from the start of the season that the Panthers had the most talented team in a long time.

The team seemed to fall short of their potential early in the season by placing third in the Mansfield tournament. Only three days later the Panthers defeated Willow Springs who was rated as the strongest team in the area.

Mountain Grove won two tournament firsts throughout the middle of the season: Seymour and Ava. Two of the

*Bill Freeman, senior forward for the Panthers, extends over a pair of Liberty defenders for a shot.*

Panther's four losses also came in the middle of the season when the Panthers fell by one point to Ozark and by another point to Houston.

After the loss to Houston Mountain Grove won nine straight games that included victories over Thayer, West Plains and a third win over Ava.

Mountain Grove took the court at the District Tournament with the winningest record in the area, 20-3. The Panthers first defeated Salem 41-35 on March 2, then Ava on March 5 to get to the finals to face Rogersville.

It was the second year that the Panthers were to face the Rogersville team, but this year Mountain Grove was much stronger. The Panthers held a

good lead over Rogersville throughout the first three quarters, and most of the fourth quarter, until the final seconds when Rogersville scored and moved one point ahead to win.

It was a disappointing way for the Panthers to end the season but their 22-4 record and a tie for first in the conference marked the end of the best season since 1963-64.

For their outstanding performances senior Robert Douglass and junior Jeff Yoakam, who led the team in scoring, received SCA first team. Junior Barry Ward made SCA second team. Senior Bill Freeman and junior Steve Phillips were named SCA Honorable Mention.

*Junior Barry Ward sails after a rebound against Rogersville.*

*Stretching high, senior Kent Peterson pulls down a rebound at the Regionals against Ava.*



# 5 points from undefeated season

## Varsity Basketball

	MG	Opp.
Mansfield	55	48
Fordland	48	31
Niangua	53	54
Mansfield	77	70
Willow Springs	53	52
Cabool	60	86
Ava-JV	78	32
Seymour	67	52
Ava	54	43
Gainesville	63	36
Ozark	63	64
Gainesville	78	43
Ava	60	35
Hartville	62	61
Houston	60	61
Salem	51	47
Liberty	76	49
Seymour	73	39
Summersville	69	51
Thayer	65	58
Ava	82	68
Marshfield	77	63
Salem	41	35
Ava	77	60
Rogersville	57	59

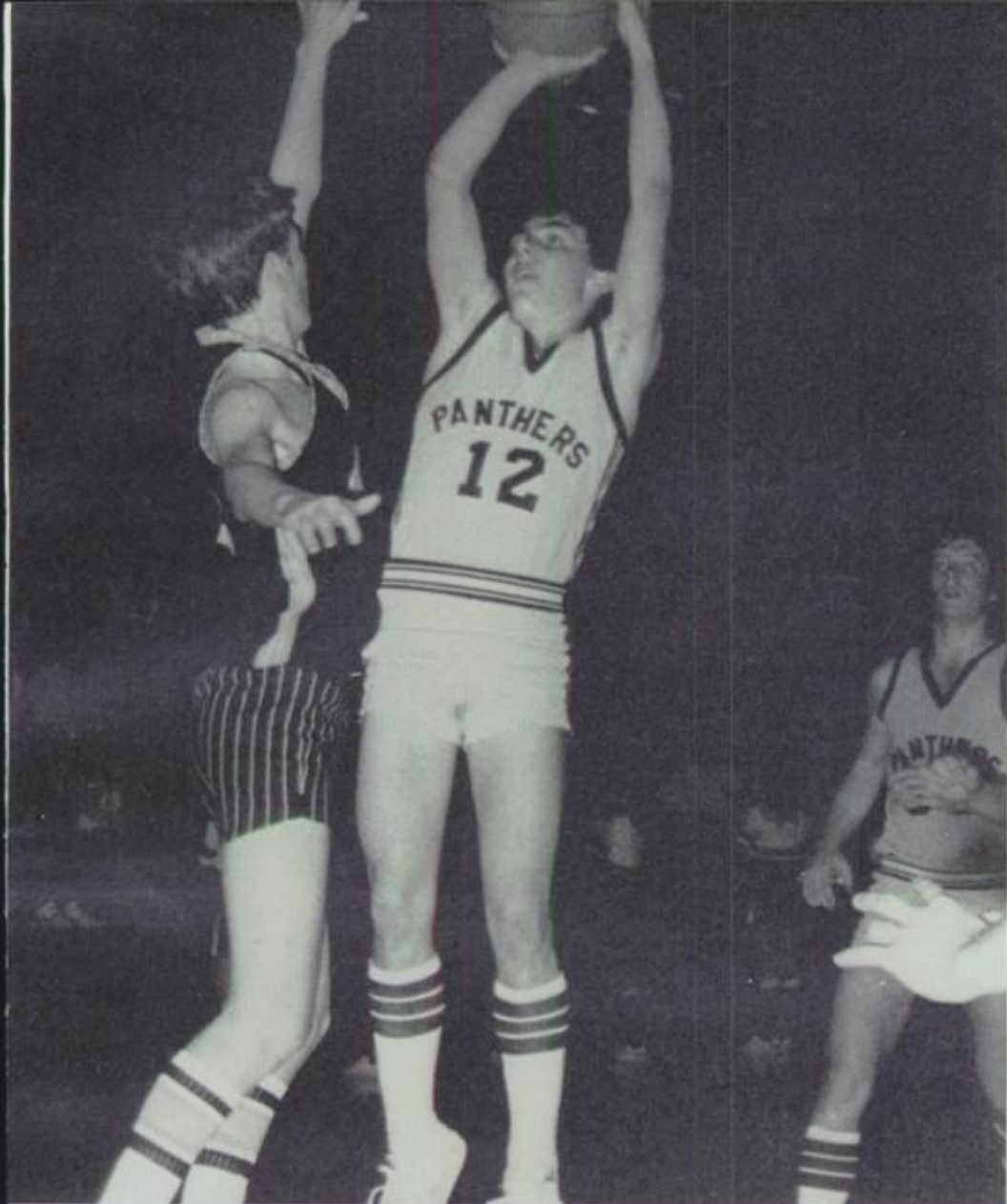
*Jeff Yoakam shoots for two of his 17 points against Rogersville in the Regional tournament.*

*Varsity Basketball: Row 1 - Kent Peterson, Billy Williams, Jeff Yoakam, Barry Ward. Row 2 - Terry Bell, Steve Phillips, Bill Freeman, Robert Douglass.*

*Senior Robert Douglass passes off to another teammate against Ava.*







## J.V. ends season on streak, Prepares for future

Dressing out only seven people for a junior varsity basketball squad is rare, but that is exactly what MGHS did during the 1980-81 season.

The J.V. played some tough competition during the year, including an appearance in the Seymour tournament. In the tourney, the J.V. came within one point of beating the Gainesville varsity squad.

The team, consisting of six sophomores and one junior, ended the season with an impressive record.

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Sophomore Mike Murphy aims a jumpshot against Summersville.



Basketball: Row 1 - Steve Frazee, Mike Peterson, Mike Murphy, Mike Adams. Row 2 - Steve Douglass, Kirk Pamperien, John Dalton.



Steve Frazee chases down a speeding Liberty player during the Hoop Queen game.



The Panther girls leave the 1981 court in style as next year

## State awaits

The girls Panther basketball squad proved that hard work and determination pays by winning the District Championship. After winning District the girls and an enthusiastic crowd of fans traveled to Lebanon to face the Fatima Comets in the first round of state competition. Making State was a first time experience for the squad. The girls got off to a slow start and at halftime were down 38-12. With their nerves calmed down they started their come back but fell short losing 56-38.

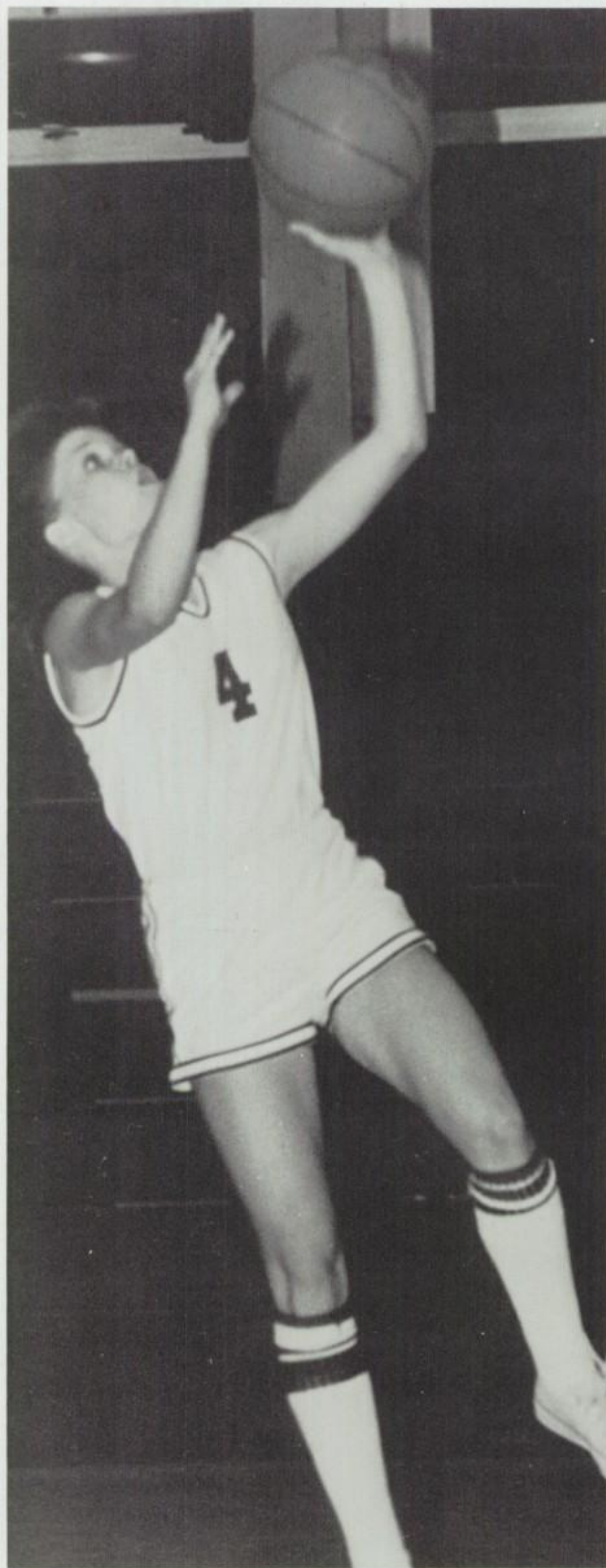
The squad started their season out slow but soon gained their momentum after winning first place in the West Plains tournament.

*Senior Penny Mitchell executes a well practiced maneuver to up the scoreboard to a victory.*

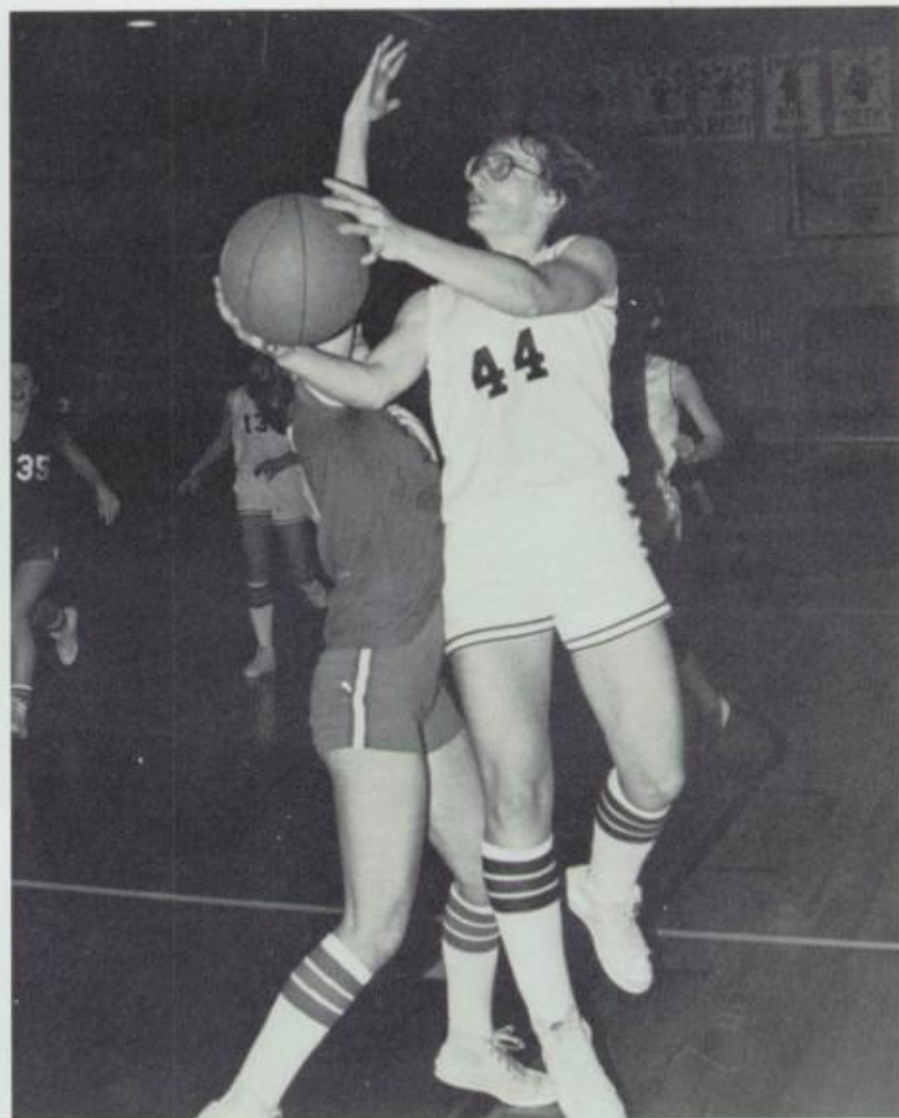
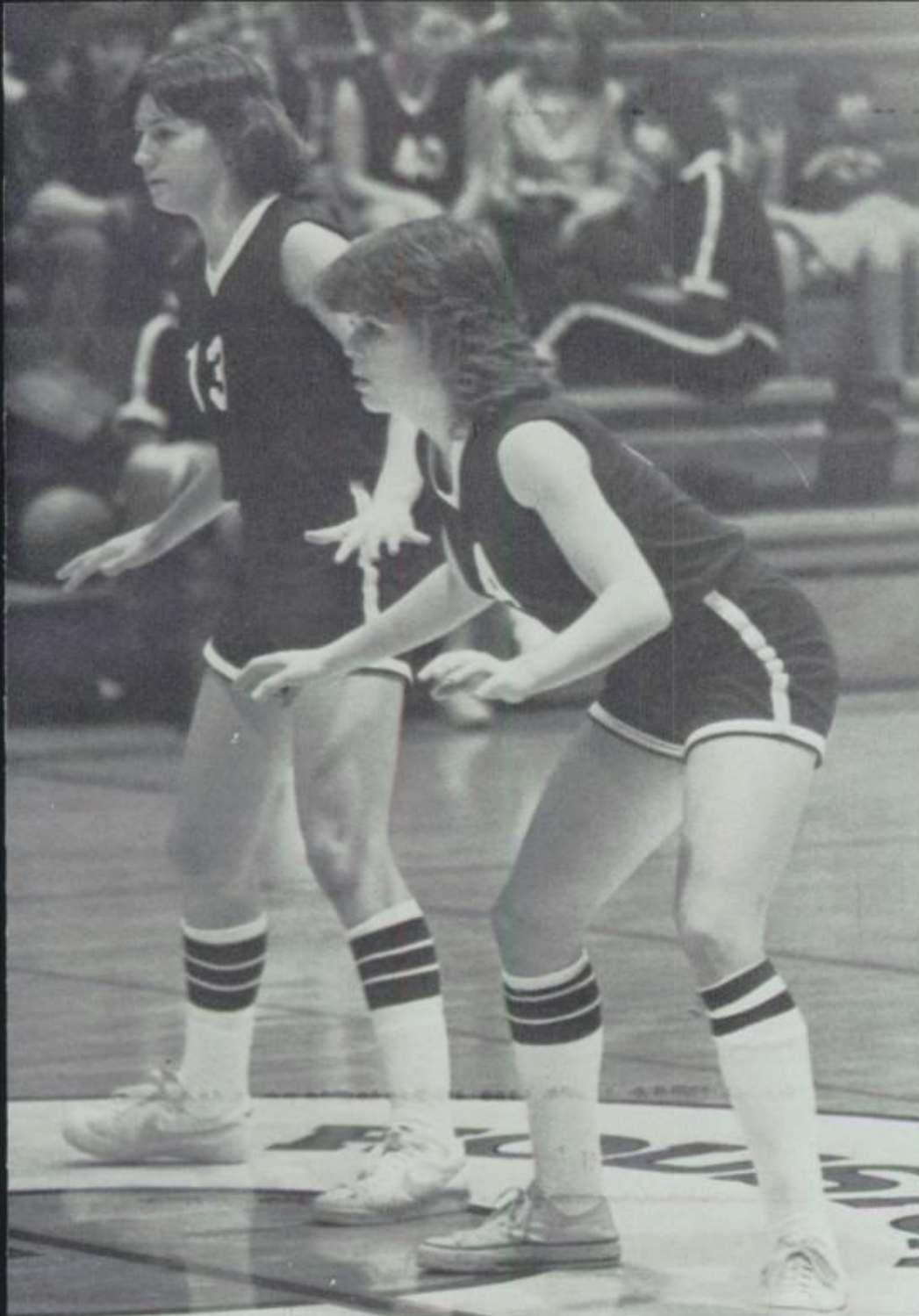
The individual performances didn't go unnoticed with Marla Douglass making 1st Team SCA and elected SCA Player of the Year. JoBeth Spurgeon was chosen for the 2nd Team SCA and Kim Penner and Vernica Carter were selected for Honorable Mention. Penner was also the no. 1 rebounder with 134 and she also blocked 98 shots for the season.

The Panther girls look forward to next year with only Penny Mitchell, 5' 3" guard graduating. She shared her position with Margaret Miller. Also returning next year will be starter JoBeth Spurgeon, Kim Penner, Vernica Carter and Marla Douglass.

*Coach Tom Hutchinson tells his team that the way to win is to play alert.*







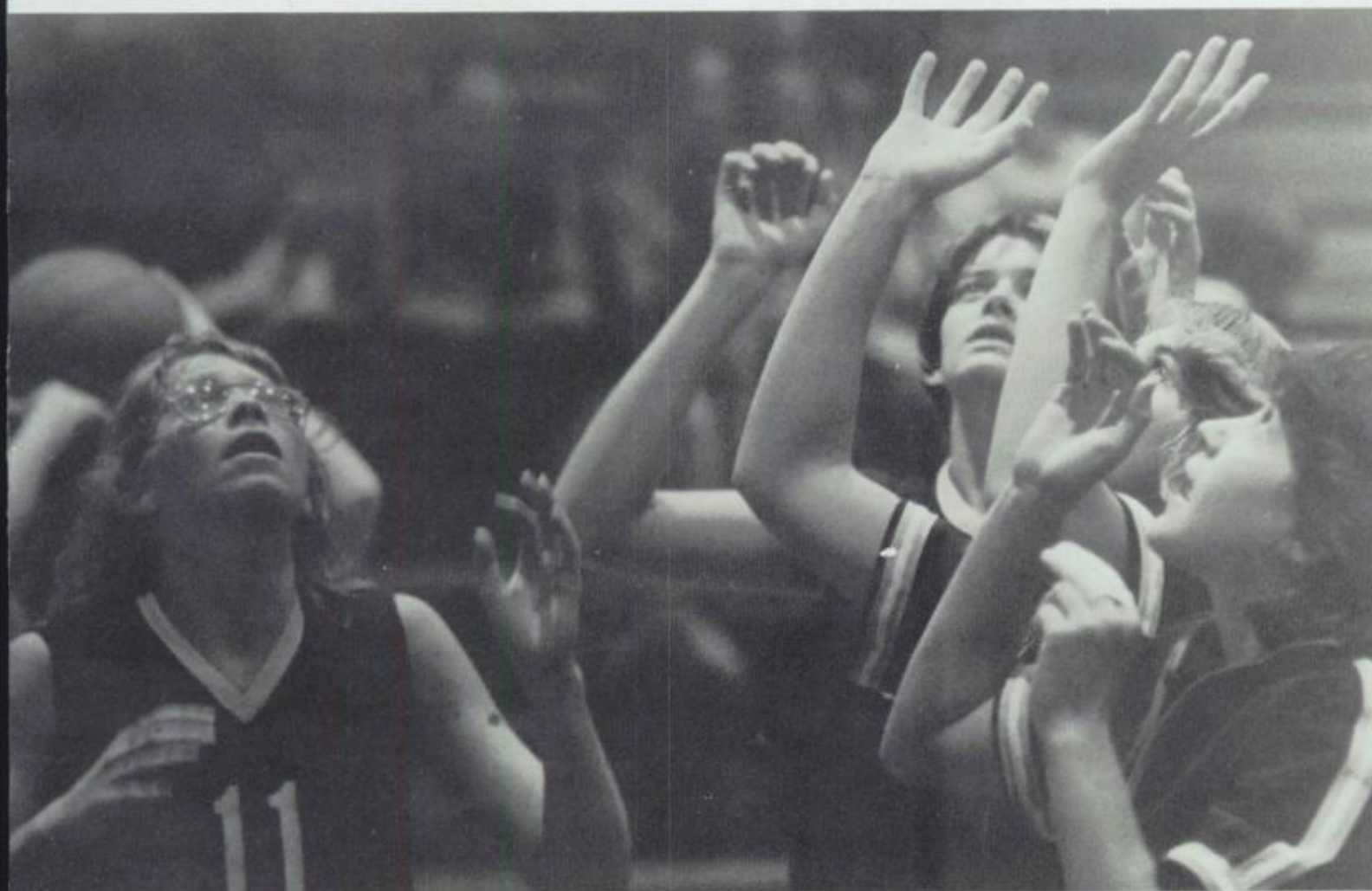
*Vernica Carter and Penny Mitchell mentally prepare for the next move of the game and hope to up the score.*

*The excitement builds as the girls warm up and prepare to win the game which is soon to come.*

## SCA Player of the Year

Only a sophomore this year Marla Douglass was chosen SCA Player of the Year. She has started two years for the Panther team. On February 23, 1980 in a game against the West Plains Zizzers Marla Douglass went over the 1000 point mark.

This season Marla executed magnificent skill and was chosen for the SCA 1st Team. Marla's point average was over 22 points a game, shooting 50 percent from the field and 63 percent from the free throw line. She also had a total of 183 steals for the season and was the second highest rebounder.





# A 10-6 record stirs enthusiasm for the JV squad as they see State awaiting

The girls JV basketball squad worked for improvement on their skills in hopes they will work their way up to the varsity action. Their season proved successful with a record of 10-6.

Marsha Stofer led the JV girls in their wins scoring 93 points for the season and also captured 123 rebounds. Missy Ward added her skills in the defensive area stealing the ball 57 times. Margaret Miller,

Aleta Elliott and Teri Woods lent their ability to the varsity squad playing part of the time on both teams.

The JV girls rallied later in the season winning all but two of their last nine games.

With most of the JV players being young there will be plenty of time for them to polish their game.

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*Aleta Elliott makes two points running the scoreboard up to a win.*

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*Denise Schilling attempts to steal the ball from her opposing team member.*

*Missey Ward puts a shot in an attempt to add to her point average.*







Varsity Basketball team: Row 1 - Marla Douglass, JoBeth Spurgeon, Margaret Miller, Penny Mitchell, Kim Penner, Vernica Carter, Aleta Elliott. Row 2 - Denise Schilling, Teri Woods.



JV Varsity Basketball team: Row 1 - Moore. Row 2 - Marsha Stofer, Robin Missey Ward, Crystal Seymore, Gina Hicks, Tina Branson.



With a 98 percent blocking record Kim Penner has proved her skill in that area.

### Varsity Basketball

	MG	Opp.
Cabool	70	37
Liberty	87	27
Thayer	51	62
Houston	72	45
Gainesville	58	52
Waynesville	38	40
West Plains	60	73
Cabool	56	38
West Plains	43	50
Gainesville	43	30
Salem	60	41
Ava	45	39
Hartville	63	23
Mansfield	63	31
Willow Springs	63	25
Salem	56	28
Seymour	62	40
Hartville	69	23
West Plains	56	50
Liberty	109	17
Liberty	55	16
Buffalo	63	42
Rogersville	52	48
Fatima	38	56

### JV Basketball

	MG	Opp.
Cabool	18	46
Liberty	28	10
Thayer	17	32
Houston	49	20
Cabool	24	30
West Plains	20	38
Gainesville	16	26
Ava	31	28
Hartville	25	14
Mansfield	44	6
Willow Springs	26	19
Salem	23	15
Seymour	13	15
Hartville	24	17
West Plains	28	34
Liberty	32	3

Vernica Carter's shooting ability helped her capture SCA Honorable Mention.





# Close games for Jr. High

Entering the 1980-81 basketball season, the Mountain Grove Jr. High teams experienced some exciting victories as well as some disappointing losses. The seventh grade, participating in their first year of competition with area towns, completed the basketball season with a record of seven wins and five losses. The team won their first two games then went into a three game losing streak. They got back onto the winning track in the Cabool tour-

namment, taking second place. The seventh graders then finished the season with three straight wins.

After four games, the eighth grade team had a 2-2 record, but then they pulled together to end the season on a strong note. Competing in the Willow Springs tournament, an annual event, the squad lost in the first round, but went on to take the consolation trophy in the tourney. John Douglass led the scoring in the eighth grade

with a 16 point average. Chris Ray, Mike Postlewait, Doyle Holt and Steve Hall combined with Douglass as the squad rolled to an 8-5 record. Losing several games by just a few points, the freshmen basketballers had to be disappointed, ending their season 2-11. With both wins coming over Liberty, the freshmen received three losses from Ava, and two each from Willow Springs and West Plains.



*Seventh grader Dennis Hodges protects the basketball from being stolen by Daryl Hopkins and Steven Weyrauch.*

*Seventh Grade Basketball: Row 1 - James Cruse, Dennis Hodges, Daryl Hopkins, Greg Westfall, Matt Dennis, Larry Shepherd, David Eisenhower. Row 2 - Donnie Crisp, Troy Blunt, Darrell Newberry, Russel Ballenger, Kevin Hicks, Daniel Brown, Shane Coffman.*







### Seventh Basketball

	MG	Opp.
Cabool	28	24
Liberty	32	14
Ava	20	24
Houston	21	38
West Plains	30	35
Cabool	25	20
West Plains	38	14
Houston	30	39
Houston	35	38
Liberty	45	6
Cabool	30	23
Willow Springs	31	15

### Eighth Basketball

Cabool	34	30
Liberty	34	22
Ava	23	25
West Plains	30	35
Liberty	46	28
Cabool	34	23
Houston	40	41
West Plains	32	20
Ava	38	28
Houston	37	39
Liberty	28	15
Cabool	29	21
Willow Springs	22	27

### Ninth Basketball

Willow Springs	20	43
West Plains	32	75
Gainesville	42	44
Liberty	37	23
Ava	20	38
Houston	43	49
West Plains	30	55
Ava	21	32
Ava	23	35
Liberty	34	49
Salem	36	43
Liberty	22	24
Willow Springs	25	42



*Freshman William Brown* takes close aim as he prepares to put in two points.

*Eighth grade basketball:* Row 1 - David Turner, Doug Chadwell, Doyle Holt, Mike Postlewaite, Eric Bradshaw, Tommy Nash. Row 2 - Kevin Phillips, Steve Hall, John Douglass, Chris Ray, Kerry Dunn, and David Elliott.

*Ninth Grade Basketball:* Row 1 - Kevin Martin, Rick Dugger, Derrick Hutsell, Richard Nelson. Row 2 - Jeff Longwell, William Brown, Tommy Ellis, Aaron Gloth, Wesley Collins.









# The Panther baseball's winning season left them feeling they could have done better, but still . . . Proud at 14-4

Entering the 1981 baseball season, Coach Jim Breedlove was optimistic on one aspect of the game, hitting. As the season progressed, the Panther's fielding, not hitting failed them. The Panthers entered the District tournament with a 13-3 record, only to commit several errors in the semifinal game and lose to Licking.

The baseball Panthers, comprised of eight senior ball-players, started the season with eight straight victories. Losses to West Plains, Mansfield, and Thayer marred Mountain Grove's regular season record.

The season included a first place finish in the West Plains

Tournament. The Panthers also won first place in their own tournament.

Coach Breedlove's main concern for the 1981 season was the lack of hitting, but individual batting averages seemed to show that this season was one of the most productive in recent years.

Player	AB	H	R	HR	RBI	SB	BA
Kent Peterson	55	14	16	0	8	17	.255
Tracy Todd	66	30	20	2	11	24	.455
Chris Adams	59	28	19	4	14	11	.475
Robert Douglass	54	15	16	2	11	13	.296
Tyler Mills	27	13	5	0	7	3	.477
Billy Williams	50	18	11	0	14	16	.360
Craig Kjellberg	51	16	13	1	13	10	.314
Terry Bell	49	8	7	0	3	7	.163
Jake Slayton	47	13	7	0	6	8	.277

Showing depth in their pitching staff, the Panthers used three pitchers during the year.

Senior Terry Bell, with

three years of experience on the varsity, hurled the Panthers to victory against Thayer in an important showdown early in the season.

After a two year absence from the pitching scene, Senior Chris Adams and Robert Douglass came back and added important victories to the Panther's record.

pitcher	IP	Runs	SO	BB	W-L	ERA
Terry Bell	39	21	34	8	4-3	2.31
Chris Adams	35	17	36	7	5-1	1.72
Robert Douglass	26	11	25	15	5-0	3.07

For the second consecutive season, the Panthers have been upset in the District tournament. Although disappointing, Mountain Grove has something to be proud of, with a final record of 14-4.

During a game at Maberry Field, Craig Kjellberg swings hard at a pitch.



While watching the pitcher, Terry Bell carefully takes his lead off first base.

Senior Robert Douglass cuts up in the locker room before a ball game.



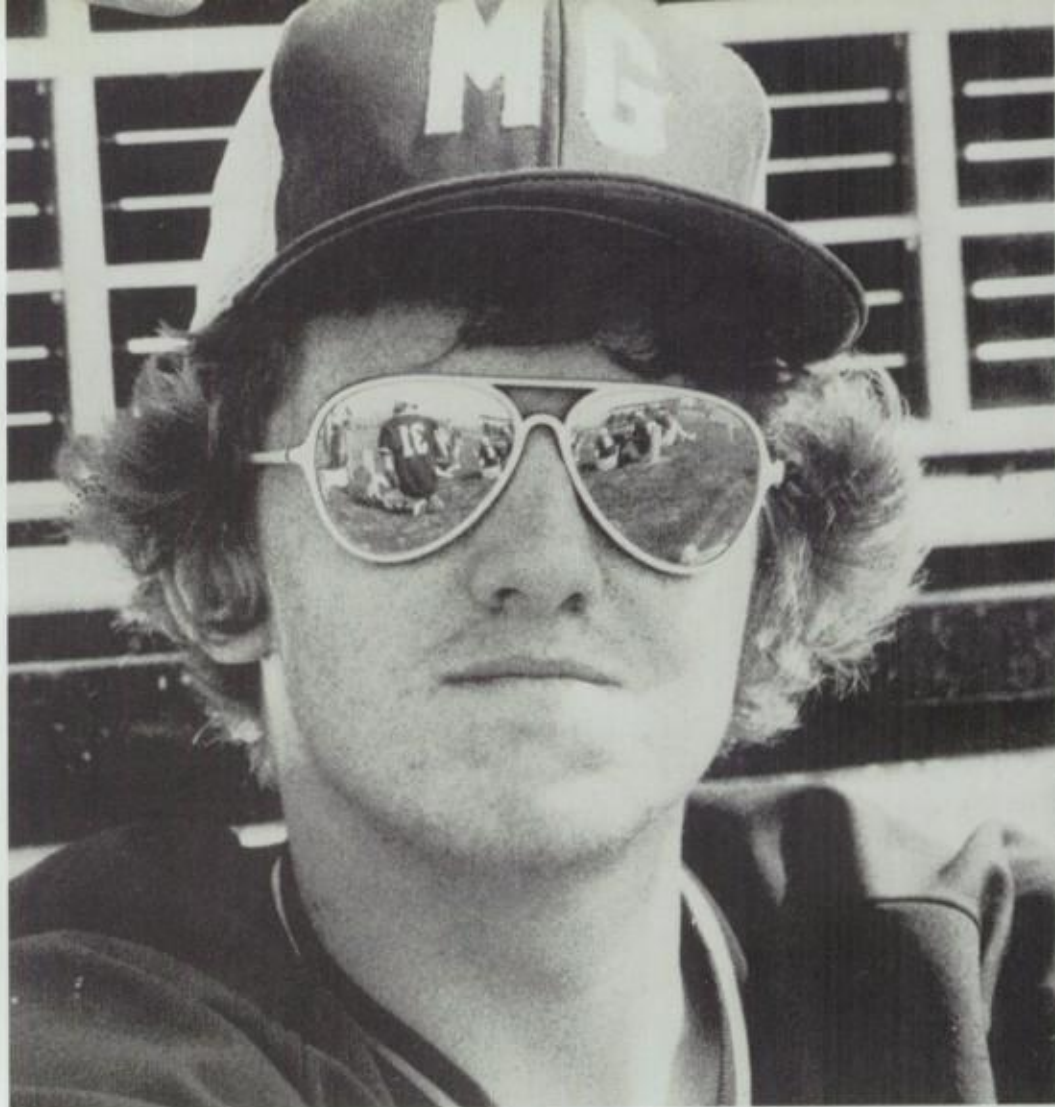


Senior Tracy Todd watches to see if the ball is hit while he takes a lead off third base.

Senior Chris Adams shows signs of strain while pitching in a game at Mayberry Field.

Billy Williams, senior center fielder, soaks up some sun between games at the West Plains tournament.

1981 Varsity Baseball Team: Row 1 - Marty Todd, Mike Murphy, Andy Kjellberg, Steve Frazee, Billy Williams, Tracy Todd, Craig Kjellberg, Burl Williams. Row 2 - Kent Peterson, Terry Bell, John Branson, Robert Douglass, Chris Adams, Tyler Mills, Jake Slayton.







1981 JV Baseball Team: Row 1 - Marty Todd, Billy Smart, Andy Kjellberg, Mike Murphy, Lanny Robertson, David Richardson, Ricky Dugger, Jimmy Robertson, Derrick Hutsell. Row 2 - Donnie Rutz,

Wesley Collins, Tommy Ellis, Pat Rodery, John Branson, Jeff Yoakam, Steve Hopkins, Randy Rhodes, Kevin Martin, Keith Cope.



Sophomore John Branson strides toward the plate in an attempt to strike out another batter.

Jake Slayton, sophomore first baseman, looks toward the third base coach after rounding second.

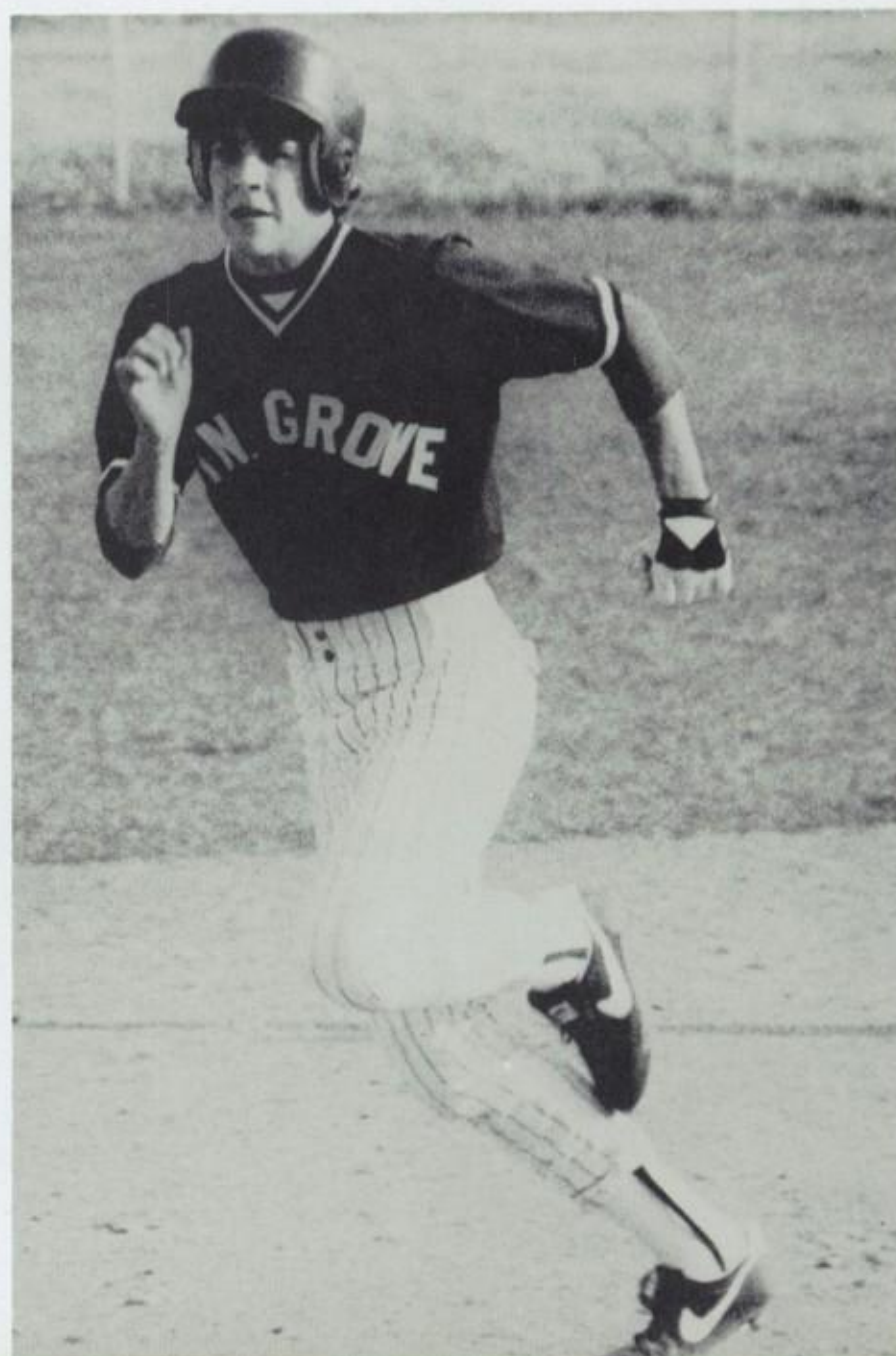
# J.V. keeps the winning way alive

Being a Junior Varsity squad and having to play teams mostly composed of juniors and seniors is a tough job, but the J.V. Panthers did just that and came out with a 6-4 record.

Playing in several close games, the only contest the Panthers were blown out of was the first game of the season against Rogersville. Winning and losing by a few runs

signifies a good team; a good team can also demolish other opposing teams. The Panthers destroyed teams like Ava and Mansfield by scores of 10-0 and 13-7.

Several junior varsity players saw much varsity action, gaining that added experience needed for next season's varsity squad.



## Varsity Baseball

	MG	Opp
Rogersville	10	0
West Plains	6	5
Houston	4	3
Ava	7	1
Rogersville	14	4
Thayer	7	4
Houston	10	3
West Plains	4	0
West Plains	3	7
Gainesville	17	4
Mansfield	2	3
Ava	7	6
Rogersville	9	2
West Plains	7	1
Marshfield	5	0

Thayer	1	2
Liberty	11	0
Licking	4	7

## JV Baseball

	MG	Opp
Rogersville	0	11
West Plains	4	9
Houston	6	4
Ava	3	2
Thayer	6	1
West Plains		
Mansfield	10	0
Ava	13	7
Marshfield	4	5
Thayer	3	4



This years varsity boys track team was small in number, but . . .

## Big on competitive spirit

The varsity boys track team started the season with 14 members, took seven to District and qualified six for State competition. Despite small numbers for the past few years Mountain Grove has still managed to compete very well in the area and may be beginning to build a reputation beyond that of most of the area 3A schools.

The teams first big meet was the West Plains Relays on April 7. The team brought home 11 medals and made

strong showings in every event entered.

In the middle of the season the team competed in the SMSU Relays then readied for the major meets at the end of the season - SCA, District and State.

At their SCA meet the boys placed seven, scored 51 points and earned third place as a team. Senior Dan Prock took a first in the Disc and a second in the shot at Conference.

District competition came

on May 16. Dan Prock again had a good performance as he threw for first place in the Discus. The Mile relay team of Barry Ward, Steve Douglas, Kenny Pridemore and Brian McGowan earned second, and David Miller took second in the 3200 meter run. These people qualified for the state Meet of May 22-23 where Prock threw for 12th place, Miller ran for 7th place, and the mile relay sprinted for 14th place.

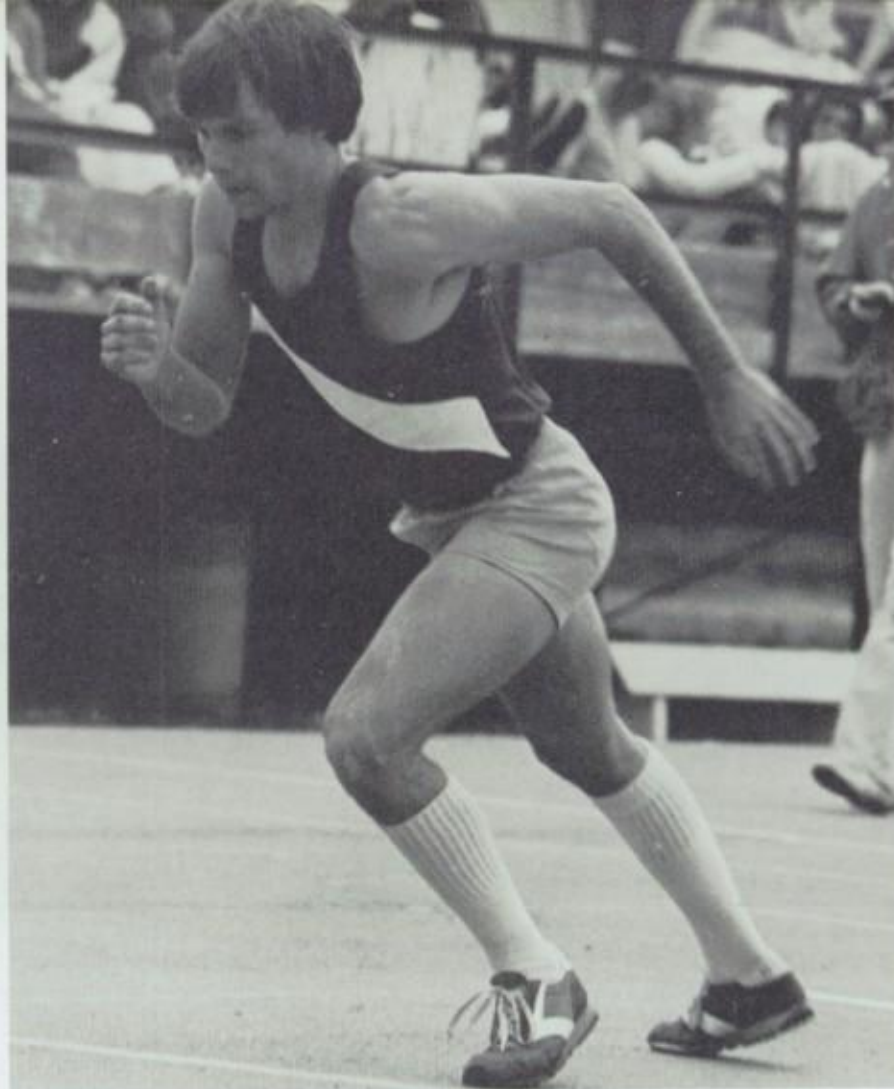


*David Miller hands the baton to Kenny Pridemore at a home meet in the two mile relay.*





*Varsity Boys Track:* Row 1 - David Rader, Greg Dysart, Dale Robertson, Eric Hofsommer, Kenny Pridemore, Steve Coffman. Row 2 - Barry Ward, David Miller, Brian McGowand, Steve Douglass, Jim Liska, Dan Prock.



*Junior Brian McGowand, school record holder for 400 meters, is starting a race at West Plains.*



*Juniors Barry Ward and Kenny Pridemore exchange the baton in the mile relay.*



# The girls varsity track went all out to get to state and had a Strong finish



Margaret Miller placed 11th at State in the 3200 m. run.

Rhonda Parsons lunges across the finish line.

The girls track team put all their effort and ability into their events to compile their points to come home winners in five track meets. The girls fell short in only three meets, placing second in two and third in the other meet.

The girls started out their season slow, placing no firsts until their third meet. The girls have set many records this year such as first year track member, Missy Ward, holding the record for discus with a throw of 113' 2". Freshmen Becky Hopkins and Donna Davidson and sophomores Marsha Stofer and Margaret Miller held the school's record in the two mile relay with the time of 10:13.55.

The girls traveled to West Plains to participate in the District track meet with the State finals in their minds. All first and second places qualify for state.

Freshman Missey Ward prevailed at her first District meet to place first in the discus. Margaret Miller ran away with the 3200 meter run placing first.

The girls two mile relay team also competed at State with Becky Hopkins, Donna Davidson, Marsha Stofer and Margaret Miller after placing second at District.

The 1981 Mo. State High School Track and Field Meet at Jefferson City was held May 22-23. Missey Ward was the only girl placing in the top ten from Mountain Grove finishing seventh in the discus throw. The two mile relay team crossed the finish line eleventh along with Margaret Miller finishing eleventh in the 3200 meter run.

With no seniors on the team this year the girls track can look forward to another winning season.

## Varsity Track

Place	Finished
Ava	3rd
West Plains	2nd
Mtn. Grove	1st
West Plains	2nd
Mtn. Grove	1st
Willow Springs	1st
Mtn. Grove	2nd
Houston	1st
Ava	1st

## Records Set

Margaret Miller - 3200 meter Run 12:33.87, 800 meter Run 2:30.0.  
Rhonda Parsons - 200 meter Run 27:67. Denise Schilling - 100 meter Hurdles 17:15.  
JoBeth Spurgeon - 200 meter Hurdles 32:56.  
Missey Ward - Discus 113' 2".  
Marla Douglass - High Jump 4' 7".  
Becky Hopkins, Donna Davidson, Marsha Stofer, Margaret Miller - 2 mile Relay 10:13.55. Becky Hopkins, Denise Schilling, Donna Davidson, Rhonda Parsons - 440 yd. Relay.

## State Track Meet

Missey Ward - Discus 110' 2" 7th place. Margaret Miller - 3200 meter Run 12:11.90 11th place. Becky Hopkins, Donna Davidson, Marsha Stofer, Margaret Miller - 2 mile Relay 10:21 11th place.

Kim Penner builds momentum.



Varsity Track: Row 1 - Margaret Miller, Denise Schilling, Rhonda Parsons, Becky Hopkins, Missy Ward.

Row 2 - Marla Douglass, Marsha Stofer, Kim Penner, Vernica Carter, JoBeth Spurgeon, Barbara Harrington.







The freshmen tracksters had a successful season; seventh and eighth worked for coming seasons, and all had . . .

## The desire to win

Breaking a track record is a thing to be proud of. Therefore, several Jr. High tracksters should be proud of the marks they broke in their perspective grades.

Seventh grade track team started their season slow but came back to place third in the SCA meet. Individual efforts which were recognized this past season were Russell Ballenger long-jumping 15' 9". R. Z. Brown ran the 110 meter hurdles in 16.9 and Shane Coffman turned in a 5:53 in the

1600 meter run. The 440 yard relay, consisting of Shepperd, Brown, Dennis Hodges and Troy Blunt, ran the relay in 56.7 seconds.

Individual performances grabbed the eighth grade spotlight as ten records fell. John Douglass broke two records - the high jump with a 5' 4" effort, and the 1600 meter run with a time of 5:24.4. Russell Delcour had a 36' effort in the shot put. Pole-vaulter Kerry Dunn cleared ten feet while Steve Hall streaked to a 12.7

time in the 100 meters. Hall also had a 26.6 time in the 200 meters. Runner Chris Ray ran the 800 meters in 2:16 and Chance Sanders sprinted to a 58.9 in the 400 meter dash. The 440 and 880 yard relay teams also broke records this season.

Although the ninth grade had only one record fall, they did well as a team. They placed in the top three in almost every meet. The lone record that was shattered was in the high-jump. William Brown leaped 5' 10" in a meet late in the season.

*William Brown smashes the freshman high jump record with a leap of 5' 10". Brown is shown here jumping at a home meet.*



*Steve Bradley strains to get a good distance in the long jump.*







*Freshmen Boys Track:* Row 1 - Scott Lefevers, Steve Bradley, Terry Collins, Dennis Klarenbeek, Mark Hasek, Vince Hilt. Row 2 - Jeff Longwell, Jeff Stigall, Steve Bell, William Brown, Steve Hirsh, Rodney Smith.



*Eighth grader Kerry Dunn* cleared 10' in the pole vault.

*Freshman Vince Hilt* muscles the Disc at a home meet.



# The desire to win



*Eighth grade boys track:* Row 1 - Mike Postlewait, Chad Adams, Greg Raney, David Turner, Logan Alsup, Ray Mabe, Brent Halford, Doug Chadwell. Row 2 - Len Crewse, Mark Schuster, Steve

Hall, Randy Emery, Chance Sanders, Russell Delcour, Dennis Hall. Row 3 - Billy Adamson, Kerry Dunn, Connie Prock, David Elliott, John Douglass, Chris Ray.

*Billy Adamson, Chris Ray and John Douglass jump from the start of the 1200 m run. Douglass won this race with Ray a close second.*

*John Douglass proved himself a versatile athlete, shown here with a lap to go in a 1200 meter run.*







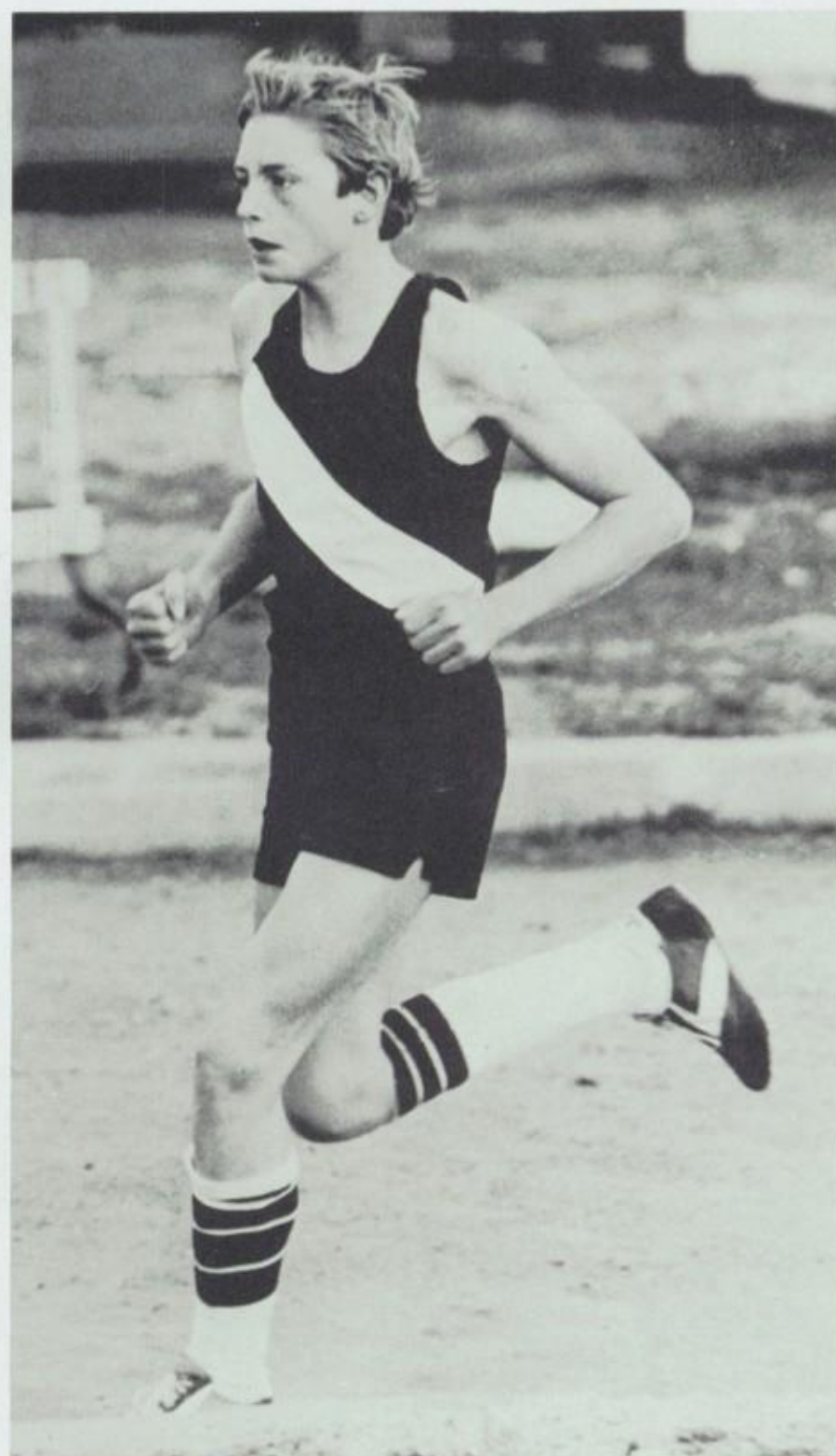
*At the start of a seventh grade 1200 m run Daryl Hopkins and Shane Coffman lunge from the line.*

*Seventh grader Shane Coffman strides in a 1200 m run.*



*Seventh Boys track: Row 1 - Daryl Hopkins, Darrell Newberry, Tony Emery, Dennis Hodges, Donnie Crisp, Danny Smart, David Schepp, Larry Shepherd. Row 2 - Troy Blunt, Kevin*

*Hicks, Mike Cooley, Doug Moore, Tim Nunn, Randy Mabe. Row 3 - Daniel Brown, Shane Coffman, Dale Amundson, Greg Westfall, Russel Ballinger.*

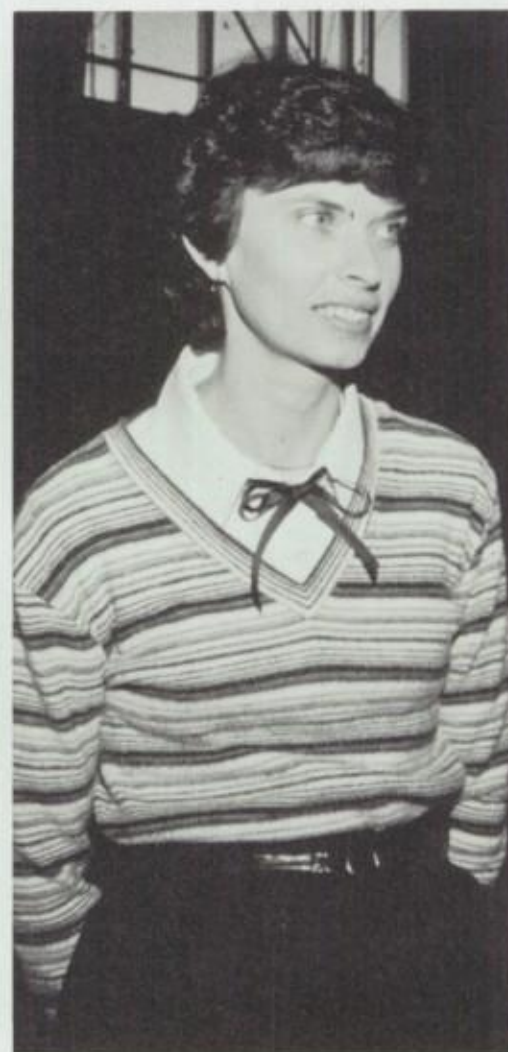


*Eighth grader Logan Alsup sails in the long jump.*



Eighth grade girls move on to varsity with experience for

## A taste of victory



*Mrs. Betty Blevins, girls' Jr. High Athletic coach for the past two years.*

*Jan Ward pulls away from the opposing team members to win the hurdles in style.*

*Vicky Allomong attempts to raise the scoreboard to an eighth grade victory.*

The eighth grade girls' athletics got their year of sports competition off to a slow start with a 5-5 record for their volleyball season. The squad started out by winning the first game and then falling into a pattern of winning two games and losing two. However, the girls didn't let this slow them down in the sports that followed.

In basketball, Jan Ward led her teammates to six victories by scoring 141 points for the season. The girls fell to only two teams losing to Cabool 19-20, West Plains 16-20 and 16-27. The squad ended their basketball season against Ava and left the court with a score of 80-5.

As the school year came closer to an end the eighth grade girls let their athletic ability shine as track season came to Mountain Grove. The girls, coached by Betty Blevins, placed first in all their track meets but two which they placed second in.



*Eighth Grade Track: Row 1 - Vickie Allomong, Christy Hartzell, Linda Douglass, Jan Ward, Kim Chapman, JoAnn Middleton. Row 2 - Charlotte*

*Rhodes, Annette Martin, Kelly Hasek, Kim Hungerford, Chris Roth, Kathy Ellingwood, Tonya Friend.*





Eighth Grade Volleyball: Row 1 - Charlotte Rhodes, Tonya Friend, Christy Hartzell, Annette Martin. Row 2 - Vickie Allomong, Kathy Ellingwood,

Kim Hungerford, JoAnn Middleton. Row 3 - Kim Harris, Jan Ward, Kim Chapman, Linda Douglass, Chris Roth.



Eighth Grade Basketball: Row 1 - Kathy Ellingwood, Kim Hungerford, Vickie Allomong, Annette Martin. Row

2 - Charlotte Rhodes, Jan Ward, Linda Douglass, Chris Roth, Christy Hartzell.

### Eighth Volleyball

	MG	Opp.
Houston	5	15
	18	16
	15	12
Raymondville	15	6
	0	15
	13	15
Cabool	6	15
	12	15
Houston	15	9
	15	4
Willow Springs	15	7
	15	9
Cabool	2	15
	15	9
	4	15
Success	12	15
	10	15
Houston	15	10
	15	7
Raymondville	5	15
	5	15
Willow Springs	15	7
	15	10

### Eighth Basketball

	MG	Opp.
West Plains	16	27
Willow Springs	30	11
Cabool	19	20
Houston	48	2
Willow Springs	15	13
West Plains	16	20
Houston	38	4
Cabool	30	25
Ava	80	5

### Eighth Track

Place	Finished
Mtn. Grove	1st
Willow Springs	1st
Mtn. Grove	1st
West Plains	1st
Ava	1st
Mtn. Grove	1st
Houston	2nd
Mtn. Grove	2nd

#### Records set -

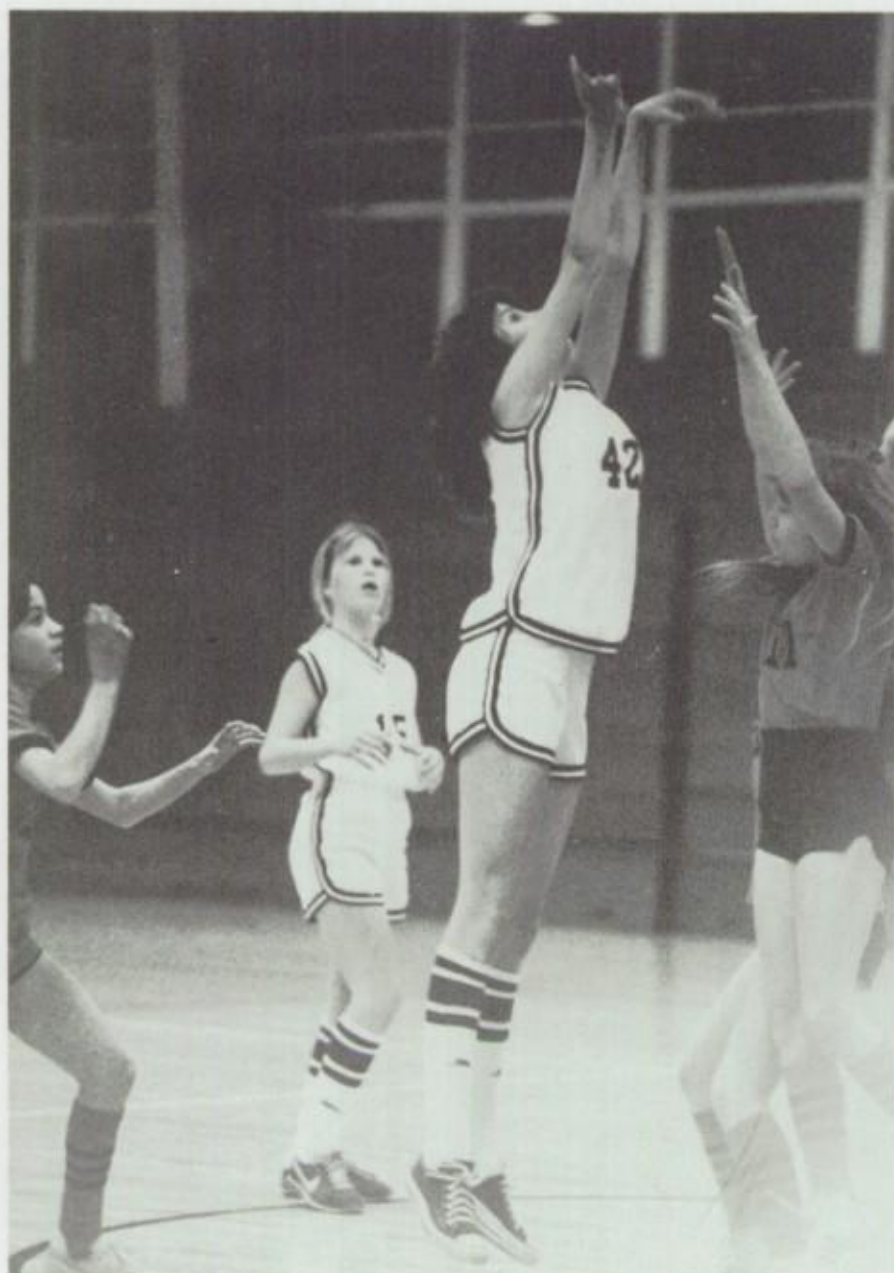
Jan Ward - High Jump 4' 6", 55 meter Hurdles 9' 79"  
 Kelly Hasek - Long Jump 15' 8.5".  
 Linda Douglass - 100 yd. Dash 12' 33", 400 meter Run 67.90.  
 Annette Martin - 1200 meter Run 4:09.9, 2,200 meter Dash 28.94.  
 Christy Hartzel - 800 meter Run 2:40.44.  
 Linda Douglass, Annette Martin, Christy Hartzel, Kelly Hasek 400 yd. Relay.

With no one close to her, eighth grader Annette Martin strides through another of her lonely races.





# Seventh grade girls excelled in first year of sports and ended with A taste of victory



*Cindy Stigall warms up for her event in hope she will win.*

Showing great interest and enthusiasm the girls' seventh grade athletics surprised everyone by having an excellent season in every sport.

The seventh grade started their first year of sports competition in high style by leaving their mark on the volleyball court with a 7-0 record.

In basketball Becky Palmer led the girls to eight victories by scoring 71 points for the season. The young players lost only one game by two points to Houston. The last game of the season was a good

time for the girls to show all their newly learned skills and came out on top with a score of 48-6.

When track came around the girls had all their winning momentum gained and were off to a good season. The girls displayed an impressive season by bringing home six firsts and a second and third from their eight meets.

Mountain Grove school will be looking forward to the years to come when these well rounded athletes step into the varsity light.

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*As Chris Holifield watches on Billie Austin shoots to bring up the score.*

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*Julie Wolfe puts all her concentration to work as she prepares to throw the shot.*







**Seventh Grade Volleyball:** Row 1 - Pamperien, Michele Hutsell, Chris Sandy Leighty, Lou Ann Ray, Tina Wade, Valerie Dawson, Carrie Hays. Row 2 - Lori Townsend, Missy

Row 3 - Tina Glenn, Karen Hyde, Billie Austin, Becky Palmer, Julie Wolfe, Pam Moore.



**Seventh Grade Basketball:** Row 1 - Cindy Stigall, Sandy Leighty, Chris Holifield, Carrie Hays, Tina Glenn, Tina Wade, Valerie Dawson, Missy

Row 2 - Pamperien. Row 2 - Michele Hutsell, Becky Palmer, Karen Hyde, Billie Austin, Julie Wolfe, Pam Moore, Lori Townsend, Coach Betty Blevins.

**Seventh Grade Track:** Row 1 - Chris Holifield, Missy Pamperien, Tina Wade, Sandy Leighty, Lou Ann Ray, Valerie Dawson, Cindy Stigall, Julie

Wolfe. Row 2 - Lori Townsend, Becky Palmer, Karen Hyde, Carrie Hays, Pam Moore, Billie Austin, Michele Hutsell.



### Seventh Volleyball

	MG	Opp
Houston	9	15
	15	12
	15	9
Raymondville	14	16
	15	8
	15	6
Cabool	15	10
	15	7
Houston	15	2
	11	15
	15	5
Willow Springs	15	3
	15	11
Cabool	15	0
	15	4
Raymondville	15	0
	15	7
Willow Springs	15	8
	15	9

### Seventh Basketball

	MG	Opp
West Plains	21	7
Willow Springs	24	6
Cabool	19	6
Houston	26	4
Willow Springs	22	1
West Plains	34	4
Houston	10	12
Cabool	48	5
Ava	48	6

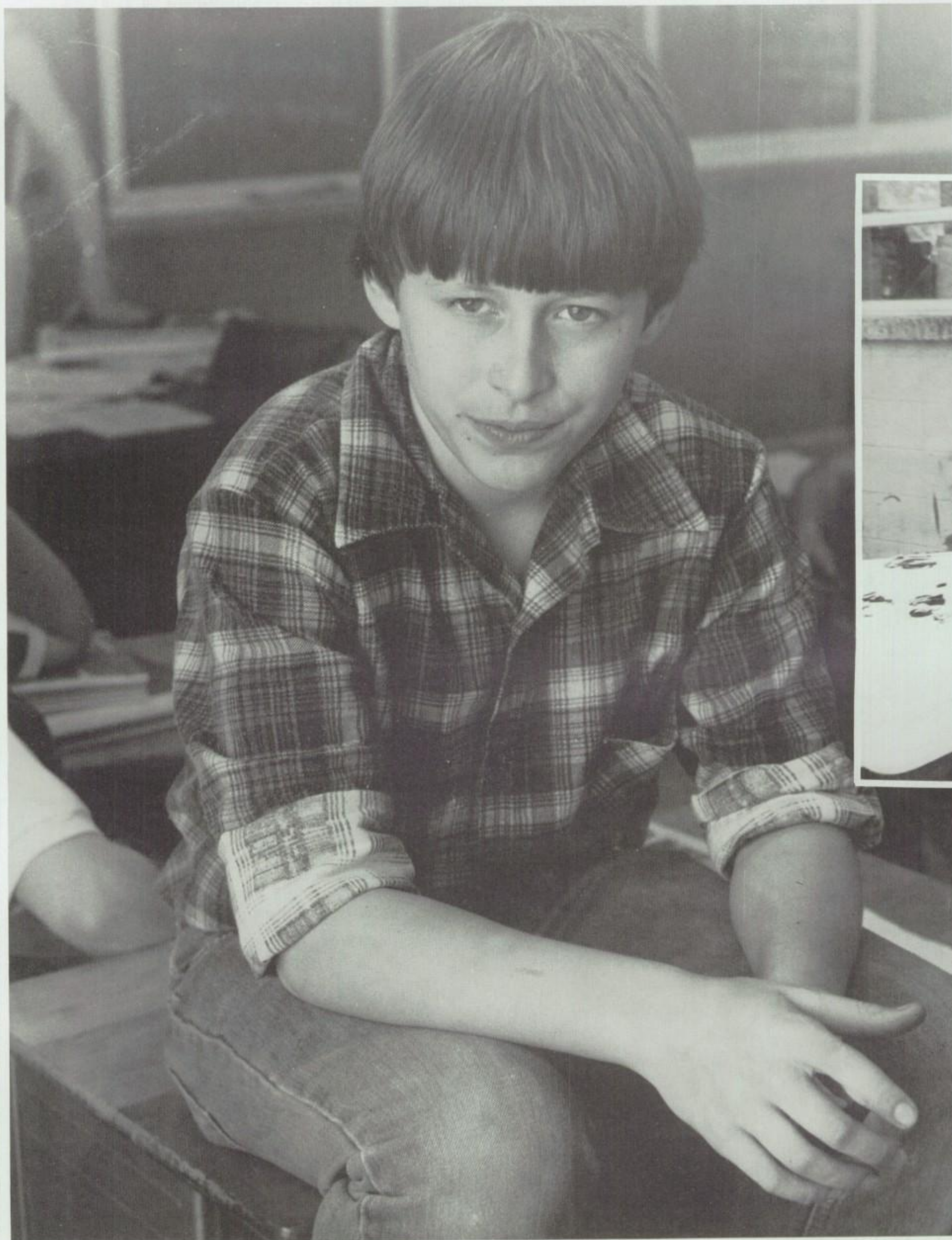
### Seventh Track

Place	Finished
Mtn. Grove	1st
Willow Springs	1st
Mtn. Grove	1st
West Plains	3rd
Ava	1st
Mtn. Grove	2nd
Houston	1st
Mtn. Grove	1st
Records Set -	
Michele Hutsell - Shot Put 25' 7".	
Billie Austin - High Jump 4' 5".	
Chris Holifield - Long Jump 12' 8".	
Michele Hutsell, Cindy Stigall, Lou Ann Ray, Pam Moore - 440 yd. Relay 61.11.	
Cindy Stigall, Lou Ann Ray, Becky Palmer, Michele Hutsell - 880 yd. Relay 2:11.49	

*At the 7th grade track meet the girls take off toward their victory.*









# Go for it Go for it Go for it Go f



Greg Westfall takes a break before the bell.

Auto Body gives Russell Lawson a chance to show his skill.

A Friday night football game is where most students like to be.

## Academics

As another year rolls by, Mountain Grove teachers and students made it a progressive one.

A year at MGHS provides students and teachers with a challenge, the faculty trying to teach students and students trying to learn.

Not only do students find a challenge inside the classroom but also in extra curricular activities and contests.

Students took part in

many contests this year, which included not only the students but teachers as well.

Everyone at MGHS kept busy with fund raising projects, taking part in school assemblies and preparing for the special events of the year.

This year has been a fulfilling one that has provided everyone with fun, excitement and a chance to learn.

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# Smoothness is the key

Smooth is how the administration described the workings of the 1980-81 school year. There seemed to be fewer of the usual problems offered in a typical school year.

The weather was unusually mild. School was dismissed only four days compared to twelve the previous year. This resulted in no extended school days and a week long spring break which no one can remember getting for several years.

A new absentee policy greatly improved attendance. After missing six days in a semester, a student received no credit for that class, unless an extension was granted. Mr. Benson said the policy allowed for an extension for illness or hospitalization, death in the family and other uncontrollable situations.

Complying with state requirements, the school eliminated transportation of students within a one mile radius of the school. This meant cutting ten busses from the routes. Therefore there were fewer busses to break down and less expense to be dealt out in bus upkeep.

When the students had problems they usually relied on the counselors for help. Students were always welcome to come and talk about their problems, but as Mrs. Ogletree said, "We would like students to come in more often and

talk to us about their good experiences as well as their bad ones."

The smoothness within the school was also contributed to the good cooperation between the different administrative offices, the faculty and the student body.

*Julie Sellers and Susie Bruce work in the counselors office doing such jobs as making copies of tests and instructional materials for the teachers.*



Tom Nichols  
Superintendent  
  
Sherrell DeBusk  
Assistant Superintendent



Owen Worstell  
Principal  
  
Alan Benson  
Assistant Principal

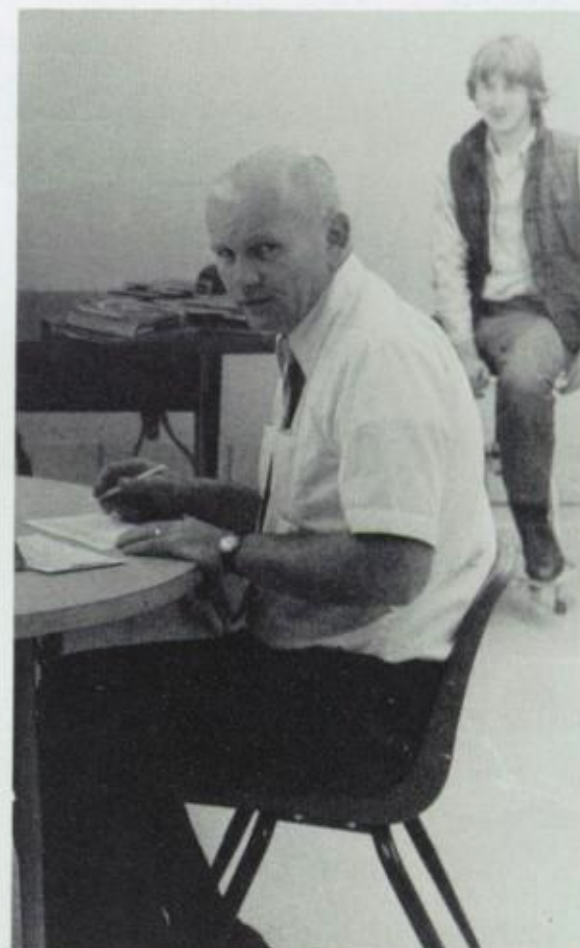


*Members of the Mountain Grove School Board are Mary Ann Anderson, Eldon Duey, Richard Peterson, John Schudy, Monte Housley, Richard Wolfe - School Board President.*





Norma Ogletree  
Counselor  
Sally Martin  
Counselor



*Debbie McCallister* questions *Elaine Dalton* about some papers.

*Mr. Benson* pauses from checking absentees to have his picture taken while *Clay Freeman* looks on.



Wilma Casey  
Secretary



Mahalla Cravens  
Secretary



Loretta McIntosh  
Secretary



Doris Moore  
Secretary



Lorraine Tarpley  
Secretary



# Vo-Tech lends experience

"I like working on cars", said Tim Privett when he was asked why he was in a vo-tech class. This sort of response was not uncommon when students were asked why they were enrolled in these classes. Most of these students plan to go straight into a job when they leave high school and they feel classes such as auto body, auto mechanics, welding, electronics and building trades will give them a better chance of getting a good paying job that they will enjoy.

Some classes in the vo-tech also helped students that were planning to go on to college to complete their education. Typing classes were essential for these students planning to go to college. Courses in drafting gave students instruction in reading and drawing blueprints for students that might want to major in such courses as engineering.

Probably one of the most popular vo-tech classes was Vo-ag. These classes taught modern farm-

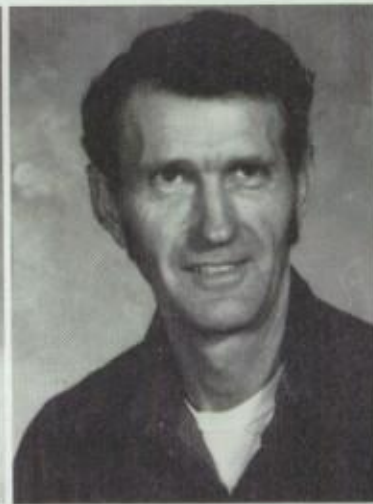
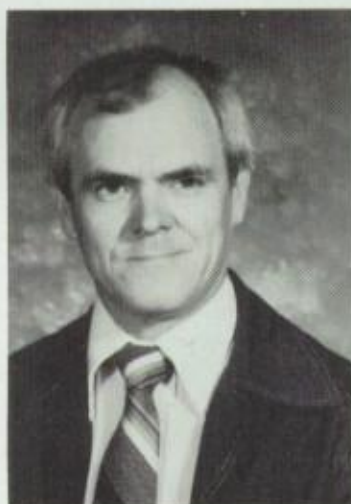
ing techniques so greatly used in this area.

*In welding classes students get a chance to get actual experience in welding such as this student working to repair a truck.*

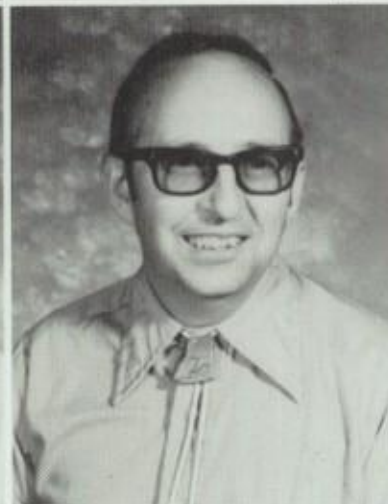
*Marty Crisp helped to keep tools in working order in the shop tool bin by doing such things as changing light bulbs.*



Everett Mitchell  
Director  
Lonnie Krider  
Counselor  
Porter Cruse  
Welding  
Lester Davis  
Auto Mechanics



Larry Gorsh  
Drafting  
Levan Hanna  
Electronics  
Ura Hardin  
Building Trades  
Teri Loch  
Secretary







*Barry Cain* trims a board to the proper length to go into the building trades house.

*Joe Hirsh* seems to really enjoy working at the building trades house.



Zane Mulberry  
Vo-Agriculture  
Dean Postlewaite  
Mechanical Trades  
Pam Tate  
Vocational Home-Ec.  
Donna White  
Vocational Business



# Reading, writing and remembering the past

Offering both writing and literature, the Language Arts courses kept the students busy studying grammar, writing short stories and research papers as well as working on reading skills.

Some of the Language Arts courses taught the basics while others helped prepare the upper-classmen for college, such as College Writing and Word Study.

In order to progress one must know his past. The opportunity to learn of the past was offered in the various history classes, such as American and World History.

Psychology and Sociology were both offered to provide a better understanding of man, the maker of history.

Mrs. Crandall's history classes gained additional instruction from student teacher Rick Boyce.

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*Tammy Bell is astonished with the answer she just heard because it doesn't seem to match the one on her paper.*



Beverly Breedlove  
Language Arts

Don Byrd  
American History

Ruth Cooper  
Language Arts



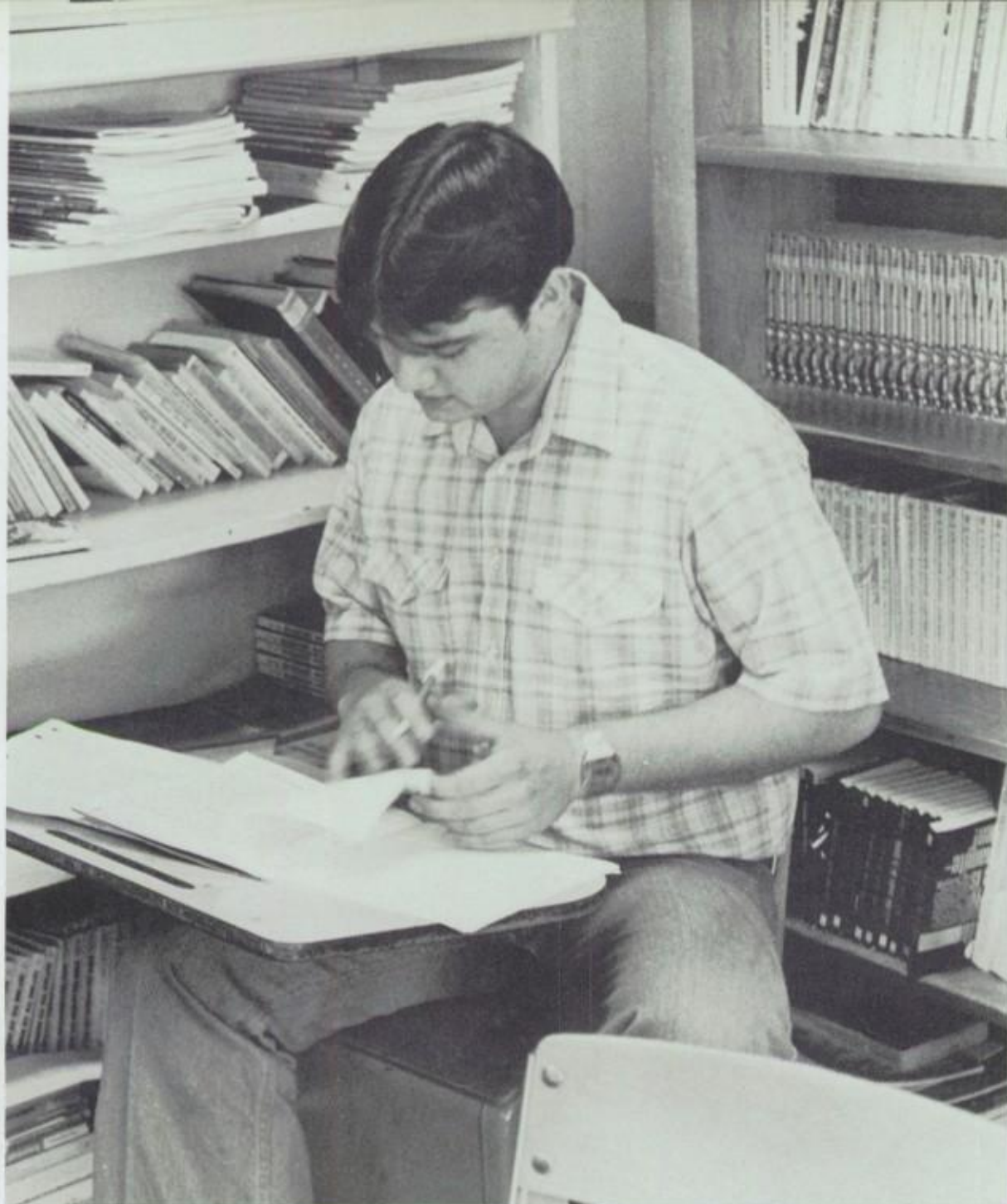
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World History

Sandra Denbow  
Language Arts

Tom Hutchinson  
Social Studies

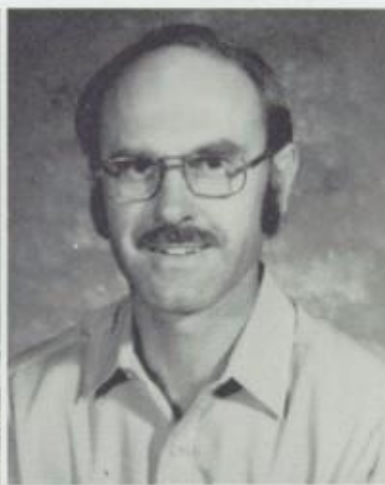






*Greg Davis spent many class periods writing his research paper in Mr. Strops College Writing class.*

*A pencil sharpener is probably one of the most used pieces of equipment in school as Tina Wade shows.*



Judy Kemper  
Language Arts

Arlene Magnin  
Journalism/  
Language Arts

Paul Strop  
Spanish/Language Arts



Lynn Turner  
French/Language Arts

Gary Tyrrell  
Social Studies

John Zid  
Social Studies



# Mountain Grove enters the computer age

Can you imagine high school students wanting to stay after school just to study math of all things. Well this sort of scene happened quite often last year just before any one of the several math contests that students attended at SMSU or at the School of the Ozarks or at one of the other sites in the area. Students enjoyed these contests and it gave them experience and improved their ability in math.

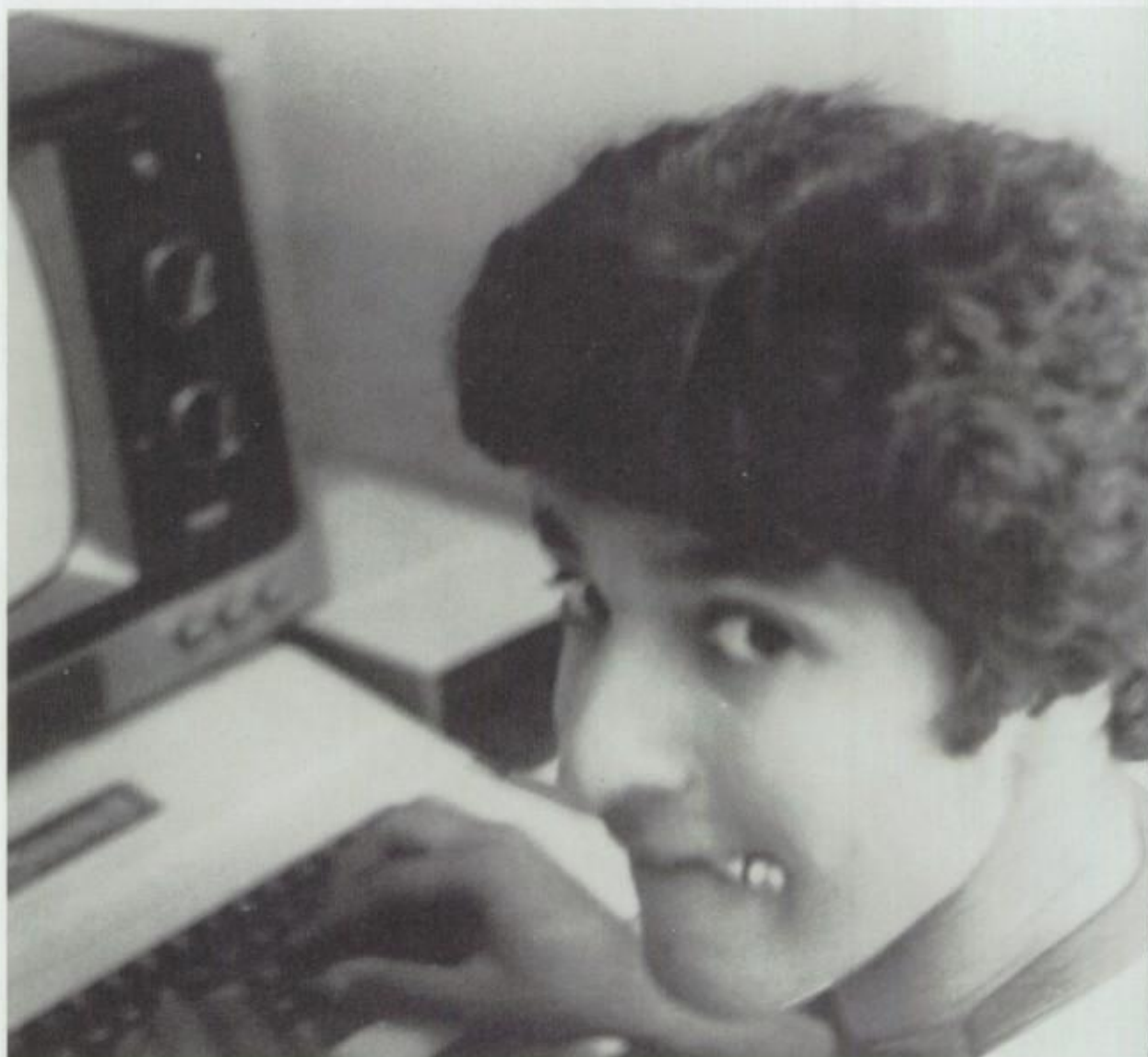
Probably one of the biggest milestones of the year for math students was when the math department finally got their computer soon after the beginning of the second semester. The computer soon became a well used tool to the students. On many occasions the computer was in use from eight in the morning to five o'clock in the afternoon by students working on programs or working on improving their skills with the computer.

In science classes students studied a wide field of subjects, from the anatomy of the common earthworm in biology to the study of gravity in physics. When Jeff Vinger was asked why he was in physics he said, "I find science to be a challenge and it is very important for my future."

Both math and science are very important for today's world with the great amount of technological advancements in recent years. One example was the flight of the space shuttle which will affect so many of these students planning to enter the scientific or engineering field.

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*Raminder Sandhu* works on a program for the math departments new computer.



Nancy Edwards  
Math  
Walter Finney  
Science



Diane LaFevers  
Science  
Rita Roe  
Math

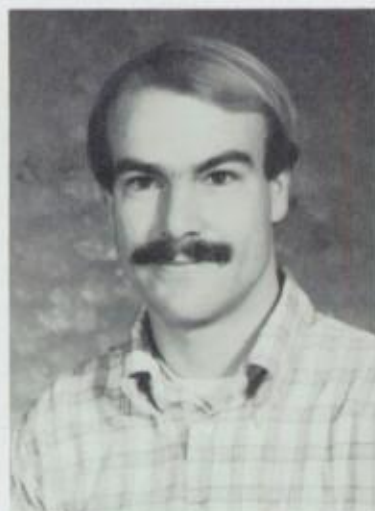
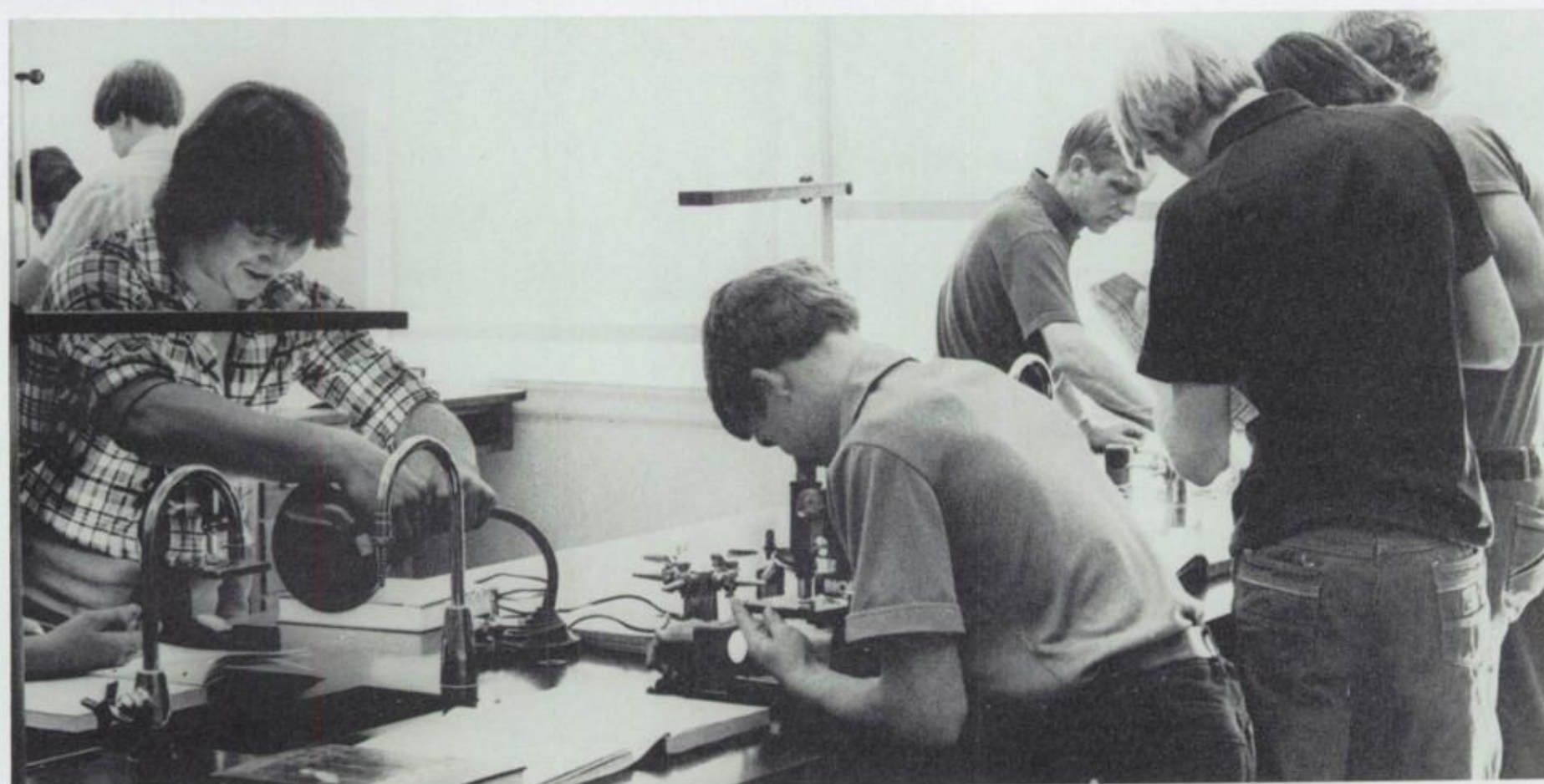






*Rhonda Clark* works intently on her biology test.

*Lane Messerer* puts a little light on the subject while *Daryl White* examines a specimen in Biology.



David Sabbath  
Math  
Upinder Sandhu  
Science  
Janet Townsend  
Math  
Lamont White  
Science



# Fine Arts classes create a good feeling

"I like music and it makes me feel good," said Greg Davis who was in both band and chorus. Most students find Fine Arts classes to be rewarding because it gives them a chance to express themselves through the arts.

Band and choral classes taught the basic techniques of music. Many of these students plan to make a career out of music like Greg Mitchell who said, "I find being in band the first step to a professional career."

Since 1980 was an election year, Mr. Baney's speech classes were often visited by local politicians and gave students a chance to get to know the world of politics. Many of these students will probably become a part of the political world and being a good speaker is a major tool in this profession.

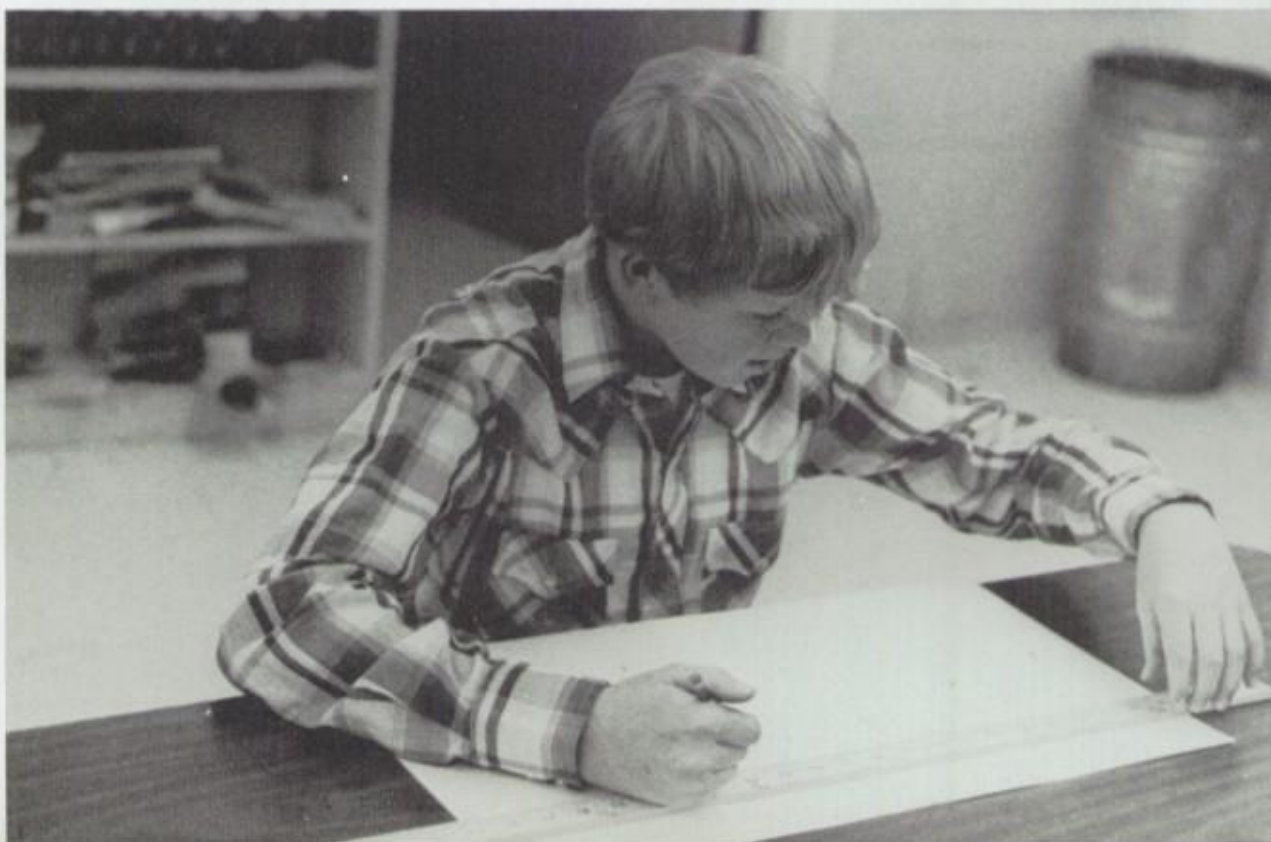
Classes in home economics gave students, both boys and girls, instruction in homemaking that will be of great value to them in their future life. Everything from sewing to planning a wedding was taught in these classes.

Students in art learned to express themselves through such things as painting and sculpture. These classes channeled the creativity within everyone to allow them to create their own personal works of art.

*Steve Phillips seems to enjoy working in clay.*

*Jimmy Coatney starts the beginnings of a work of art.*

*The bride and the groom? cut the cake during the Home Ec. mock wedding ceremony (far right).*





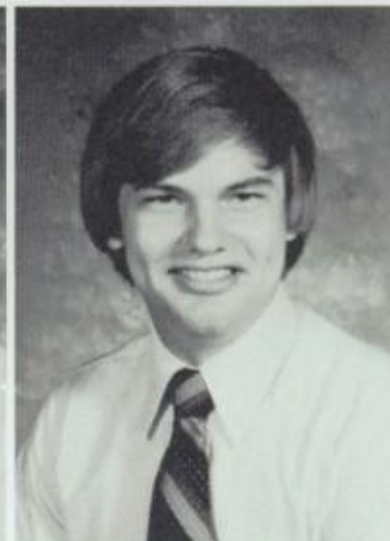


Larry Baney  
Speech and  
Drama

Bill Cunningham  
Art

Rosalyn  
Cunningham  
Art

Marjorie DeBusk  
Home Economics



Elaine Duey  
Home Economics

Mary Pittman  
Home Economics

Sandra Thomson  
Music

Terry Vogel  
Music



# More than just fun and games

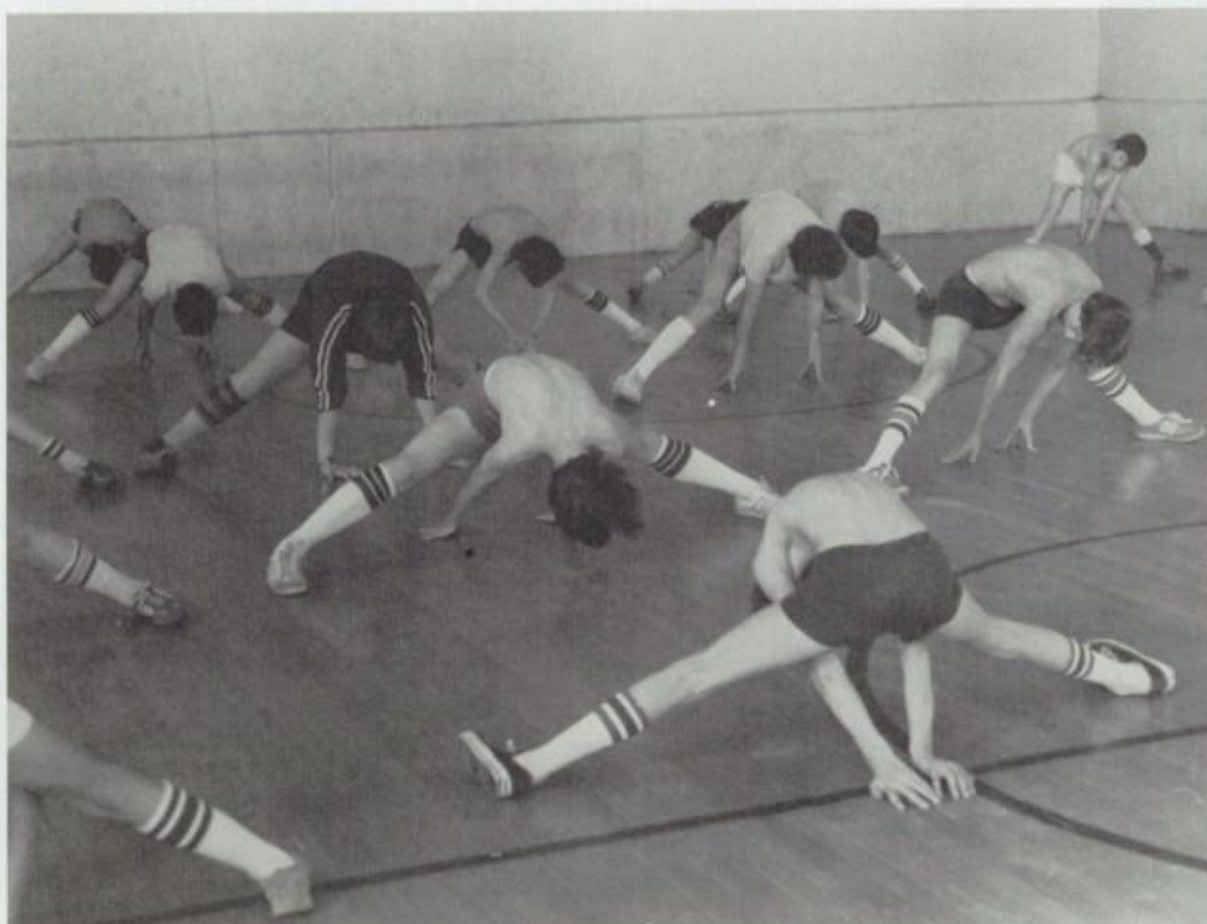
Students at Mountain Grove High learned to improve their skills and abilities through sports in physical education classes. Students were taught teamwork by participating in such games as basketball, football and volleyball. These games also improve coordination and teach students to follow rules and regulations. Things such as weight lifting, calisthenics and running, improve a students strength and endurance.

In Life Sports classes students learn many games and skills that they can carry with them into their future life. Games like chess, table tennis and tennis offer students a way to enjoy themselves in their free time in later life.

These classes in P.E. give students confidence and a sense of accomplishment that they will carry with them after leaving school.

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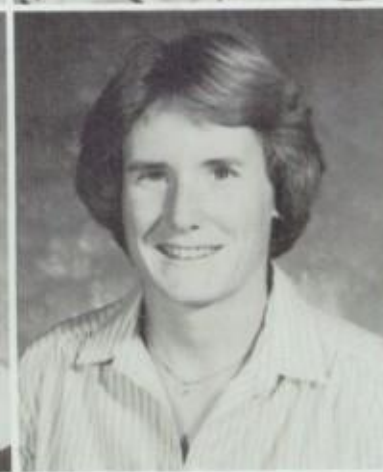
*Calisthenics in P.E. helped students increase flexibility.*



Frank Magruda  
Coach  
Jim Breedlove  
P.E./Coach



Gary Blevins  
P.E./Coach  
Betty Blevins  
P.E./Coach



June Shannon  
P.E.  
Stephanie Miller  
P.E.





*Tracy Todd* dressed the part of a passenger on a Caribbean cruise in Life Sports.

*P.E. students* get in shape with calisthenics.

*Jeff Wiyrick* got in a game of shuffle board in Life Sports.





# Specialized classes add variety

Since many students were interested in more than math, science or English, specialized courses were offered.

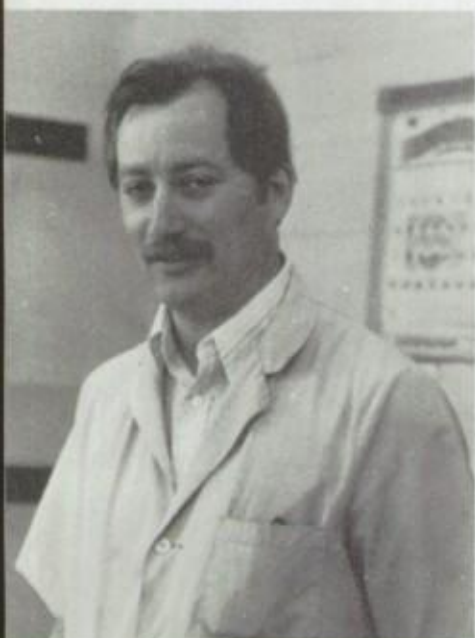
The Industrial Arts classes gave students a chance to design and build their own projects which were entered in area contests. Commerce classes taught by Mr. Durney allowed students to expand their business skills.

Some students needed additional help with regular courses. The library provided a major source of material for research projects assigned.

The learning disability and speech classes provided the extra boost needed to master the academic basics.

Through specialized courses students may meet more of their needs.

*The library presents students with choices. They may use the resource books for research papers or other projects. They may also use the various magazines for sources of information needed for a class assignment. Or they may simply browse through the magazines for their own enjoyment as Jeff Holman is doing.*

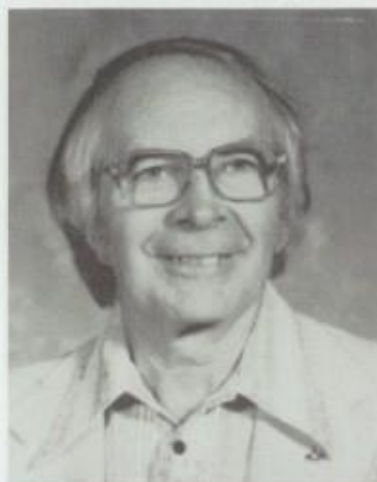


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Industrial Arts

Clyde Anderson  
Special Education

Teri Atchinson  
EMR

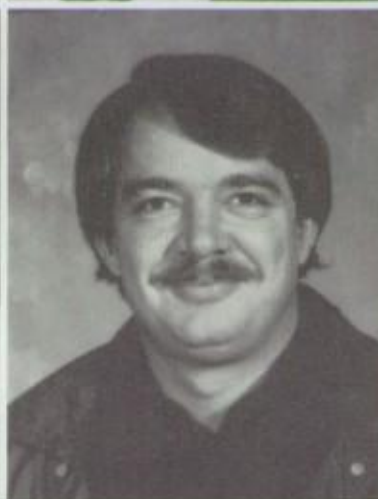
Terry Azevedo  
Co-op



Patty Cravens  
Librarian

Gerre Durney  
Commerce

Marty Holmes  
Learning Disability



Gerraine Hutchinson  
Learning Disability

Doug Loch  
Industrial Arts

Joan Vessell  
Speech Therapist





# Long hours spent keeping the school running

Who was responsible for all those good lunches and for the clean halls and rooms? The cooks and the custodians.

The cooks prepared 180 nutritional lunches during the school year. Each day consisted of two lunch choices plus a well stocked salad bar.

The staff of eight worked preparing the food and cleaning the cafeteria from 7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily.

The custodial staff worked two shifts to maintain cleanliness and to keep everything operational.

The two groups lent consistency to the school year.

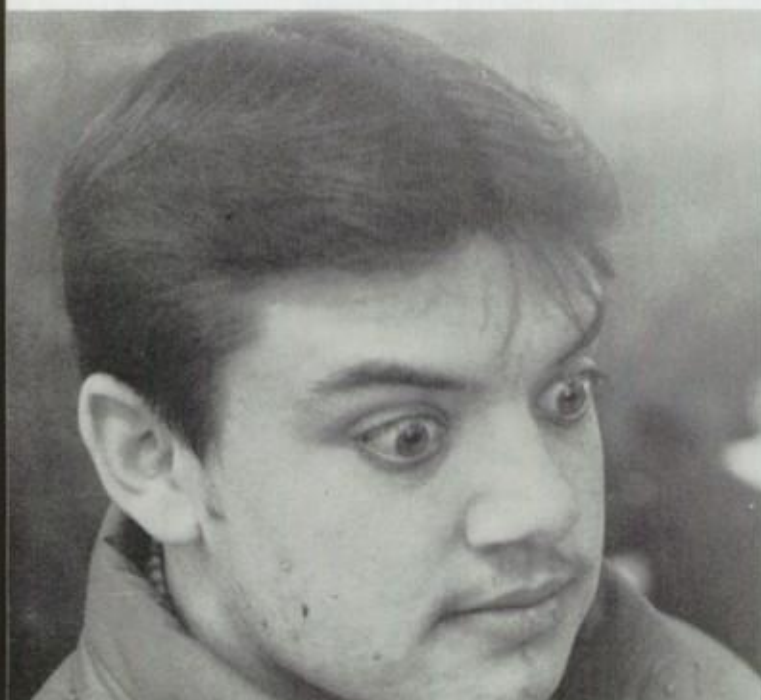
*The janitors for the 80-81 school year are Marshall Hines, Ronnie Kemper, Amiel Clark, Howard Snyder*

*Hours are spent working on one project in Industrial Arts classes as Randy Rhodes Jr. found out.*



Maude Campbell  
Rita Gilley  
Gladys Gravens  
Jonne Klarenbeck  
Ethyl Lawler  
Marge McCoy  
Roberta McGinnis  
Wanda Moritz  
Inez Walker





*Barry Cain says, "There's got to be a better way to make a living."*

*Greg Davis can't believe his eyes.*

*The people who led the senior class this year were: Row 1 - Craig Kjellberg, Chris Adams. Row 2 - Bridget Courtney, Marcia Peterson, Janet Robertson, Denise Fish.*





# Where does the road lead from here?

Seniors of '81 have had a busy and exciting year of taking tests, finals and filling out applications for their futures. The year has been full of memories that will last forever. But where does the road lead from here? Will they go to college or start a career? Or will they get married and start a family? Or both?

A very appealing idea after getting out of school to most seniors is living on their own. Over fifty percent of this year's seniors are planning to attend college. The types of jobs they are getting into range from ministerial work to physical therapy.

One senior commented, "It will seem funny when we come back home on weekends, and when we go driving around on Saturday nights, and we see all of our old classmates.

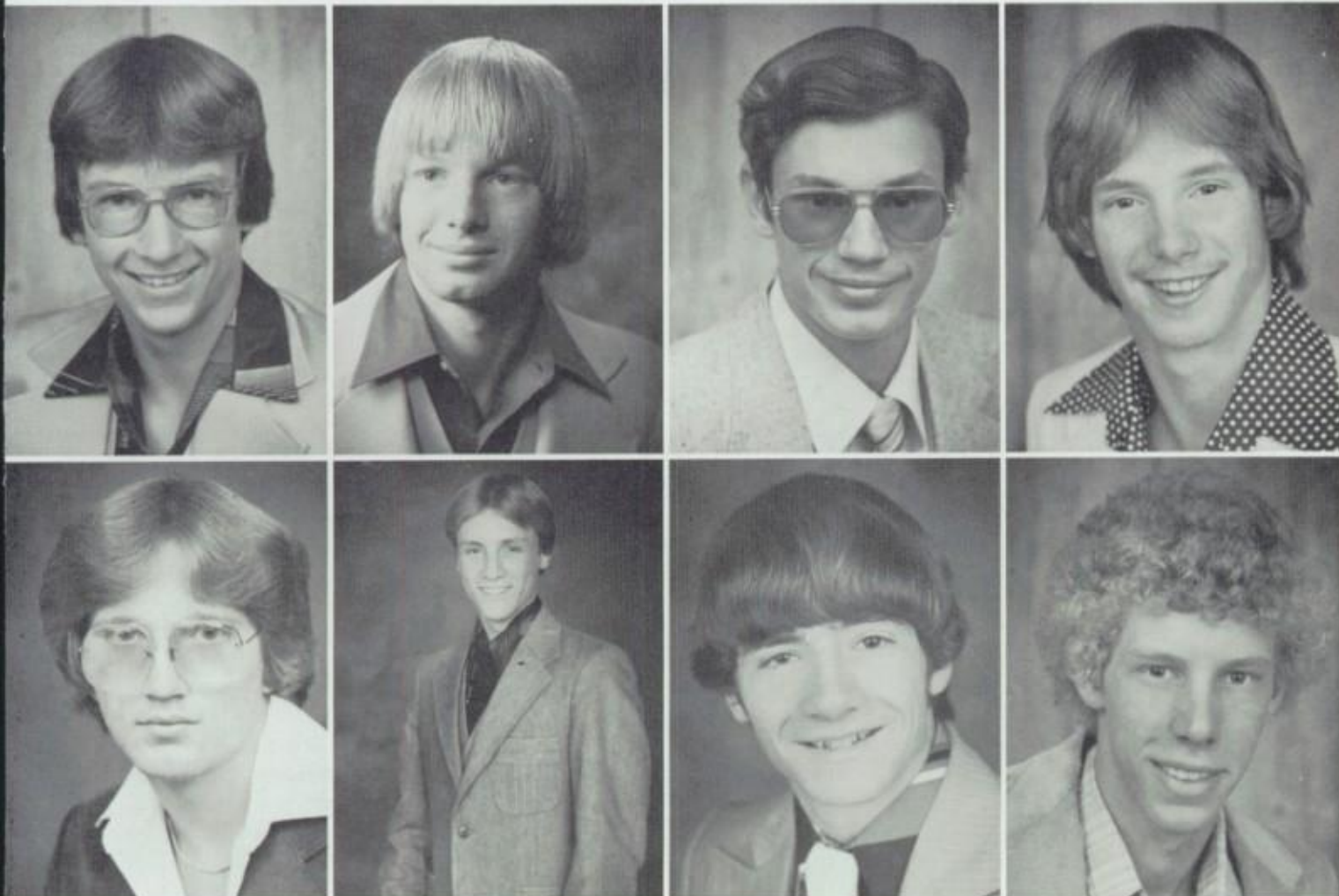
*This is the road that most seniors will soon be traveling to find bigger and better things for their future, highway 60.*

It will be kind of a weird feeling because we used to see each other everyday and now we will only see each other for a few hours every couple of weeks."

Part of the excitement of their senior year was being measured for their caps and gowns, buying memory books, senior keys and announcements. All of this is just a part of being a senior.

Some of the other things that are on their minds is the night of the prom and graduation. One senior commented, "It really seems strange when you think about walking down the aisle and realizing that tomorrow you'll be an adult out on your own with your own responsibilities."

This was their last year and because of it, the senior class pulled together and made it their best. Prom night, football games, graduation night, the senior party and all the good times will just be memories now.



Christopher D. Adams  
Don Anderson  
John Ray Ballinger  
Jerry Wayne Barker

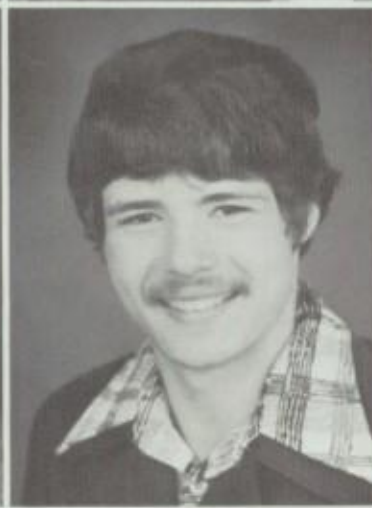
Mark A. Beard  
Terry Wayne Bell  
John Todd Bledsoe  
Adam Eugene Bramwell



Harold Mark Branson  
Steve Brown  
Susie Ann Bruce  
Jeffrey Scott Bryson



Sheila Jo Burnett  
Barry E. Cain  
Regina Ann Campbell  
Marla Gaye Cantrell



Marie Jean Carter  
Kimberly Ann Clark  
Rebecca Lynn Clary  
Karen Lavona Coble



*Seniors that have attended Mountain Grove schools for the past twelve years are:* Row 1 - Bridget Courtney, Janet Robertson, Marilyn Rader, Julie Sellars, Dan Prock, Randy Gaddis, Mark Branson, Gary Harrison, Wayne Newberry, Beverly Hough. Row 2 - Denise Fish, Marcia Peterson, Liz Ward, Debbie Mead, Karen Coble, Lori Penner, Rick LaFevers, John Ballinger, Jerry Baker, Todd Bledsoe, Clay Freeman. Row 3 - Jackie Long, Laura Foster, Rebecca Clary, Sheila Burnett, Carla Lathrom, Robin Sheppard, Terry Bell, Jeff Stofer, Gary Richardson, Barry Cain. Row 4 - Brian Mitchell, Kevin Harker, Chris Adams, Wesley Jones, Kent Peterson, David Robertson, Marla Cantrell, Tracy Todd, Tammy Easter Rogers, Mike Tollison, Regina Campbell, Rosemary Hicks, Shelly Whitehill, Linda Thornhill, Kim Clark. Row 5 - Robert Douglass, Doug Shannon, Myron Dennis, Dan Pridemore, Mat Crisp, Doug Deaton, Bridget Freeman, Robin Wood, Cindy Walker, Debbie Ice, Marie Carter, Lavonna Shaw. Row 6 - Billy Williams, Adam Bramwell, Don Anderson, David Zieber, Curtis Moody, Jim Litty, Mark Beard, Lonnie Sartor, Eddie Fogerson.





Janet Lorene Conley  
Bridget Renee Courtney  
Matthew Crisp  
Elaine A. Dalton



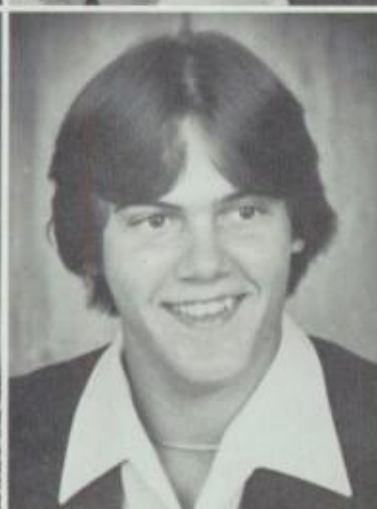
Carmen Renee Davidson  
Gregory Lee Davis  
Joseph A. Davis  
Douglass Dyane Deaton



Myron Alfred Dennis  
Robert Earl Douglass  
Robert Ray Duey  
Joe Gordon Eastman



John W. Eubanks  
Craig A. Fields  
Thomas Wayne Finch  
Gina Denise Fish



Patricia Fletchall  
Eddie Dwayne Fogerson  
Laura Foster  
Bill Lee Freeman



Bridgett Ann Freeman  
Lester Clayton Freeman  
Randy D. Gaddis  
Janice Gayle Gentry



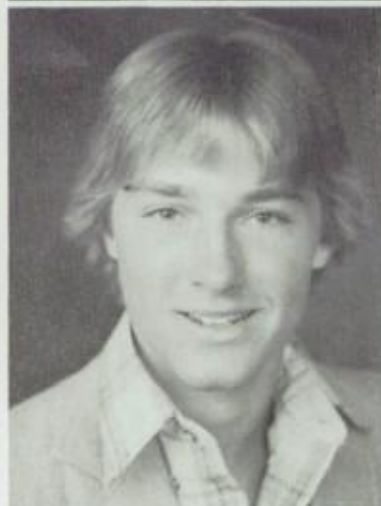
Kevin Kurtis Harker  
Gary Keith Harrison  
Donna J. Hastings  
Beverly Sue Hough



Lisa Sue Hovatter  
Debbie Ellen Ice  
Millie M. Johnston  
Cindy Dalene Keesling



Craig Brian Kjellberg  
Allan Jay Klarenbeak



*Bill Freeman* stays hard at work in the office.

*Eddie Fogerson* is an Alice Cooper look alike on Halloween.





# What's a senior without a pass?

by Kris Hegle

Seniors have often been the envy of every underclassman. Who else but a senior could come to class 20 minutes late with a note written in blue crayon and get away with it?

Should a senior be confronted by a teacher asking why he hadn't been in class for the past two weeks, he would say that he had a district track meet and had to leave early, had an appointment with a college representative, had to talk with the Army, Navy and Marine recruiters, take his ACT, SAT and ASVAB tests, go on a club trip, get measured for his cap and gown and

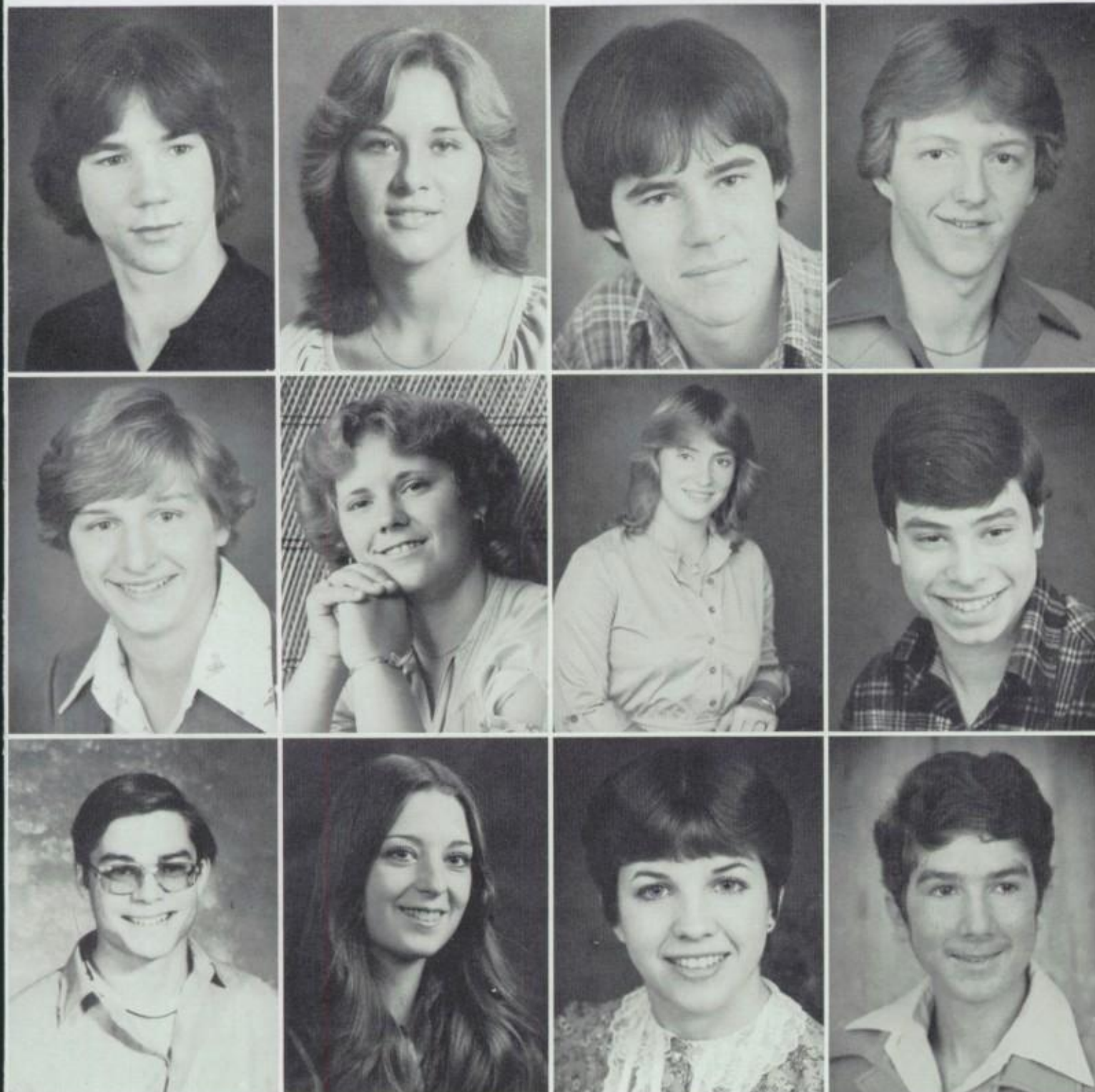
pick up his announcements and keys.

Should the teacher threaten to fail the senior, he would then smile and inform them that he can fail their class this semester and still have enough credits to graduate.

The latest escapade of the class of "81", is the senior party. They started collecting money for it before the middle of the third quarter. Yes, the seniors are prepared.

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*In her chemistry class Liz Ward walks in late with a smile on her face.*



Rick B. LaFevers  
Carla Jo Lathrom  
Alan Russell Lawson  
Russell D. Lawson

Jimmy Dean Litty  
Jacqueline Yvonne Long  
Rosemary Hicks McIntosh  
Chris M. Madonia

Mark A. Madonia  
Debbie D. Mead  
Susan Jodene Melton  
Pat Olin Mills



# East meets West

by Tonya Knotts

When does a teacher become a student? When she comes from Japan.

Elko Misawa came to Mountain Grove in April, 1980. She is taking several classes at MGHS. They are Writing, Language, Home Ec and Commercial Arts.

An interesting and unusual thing about Elko is that even though she is a student at Mountain Grove, she has graduated from the University of Tokyo where she majored in Chinese Culture and Japanese Calligraphy. After college Elko taught school in Tokyo for two years.

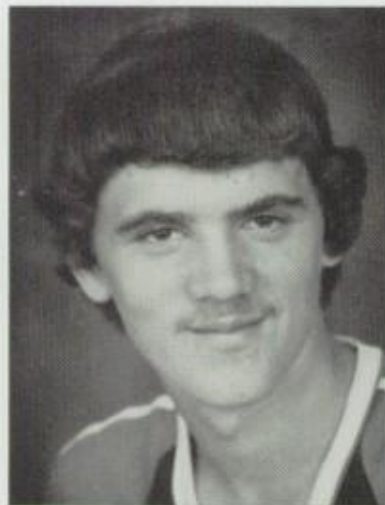
When asked what she thought of Mountain Grove she said, "It is different than Japan, but I like it much. One different thing about our school systems is that in Japan the students remain in one classroom and the teacher moves from class to class, and here it's just the opposite. So I get to move in both places — in Japan as a teacher, here as a student."

Elko will go to Mountain Grove High for two years after which she will return to Tokyo to teach English as well as other subjects.

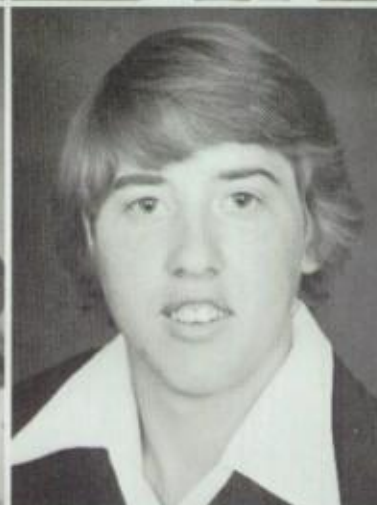
Perhaps Mountain Grove will learn some of the culture of Japan as Elko learns better English.



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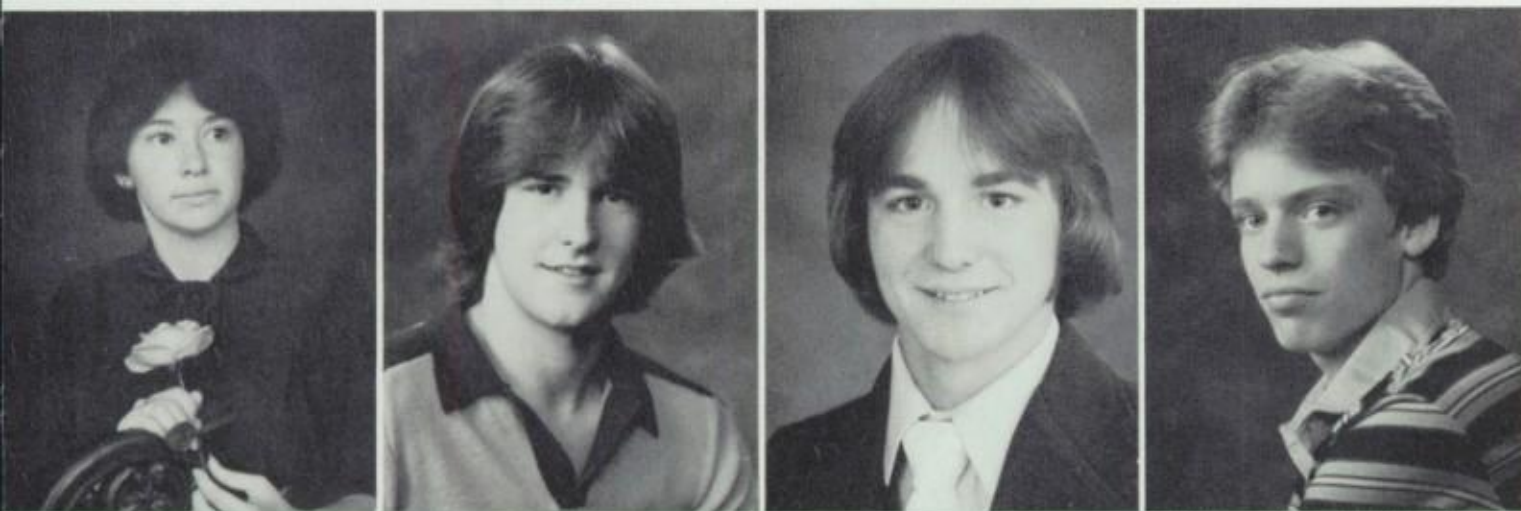
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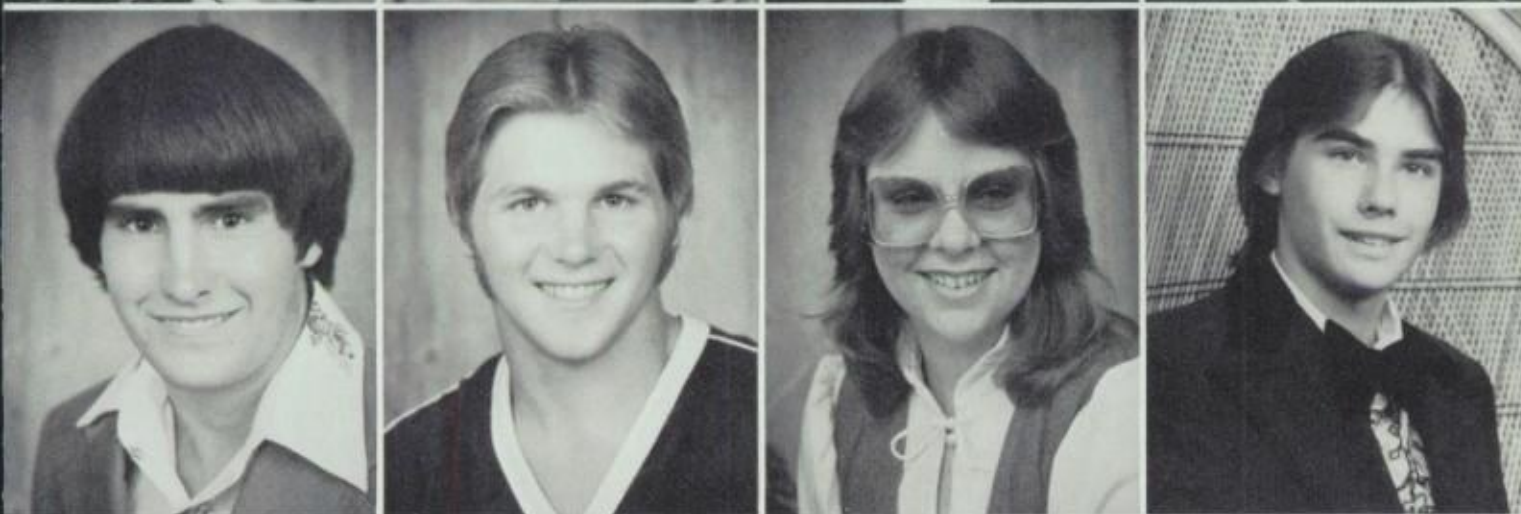
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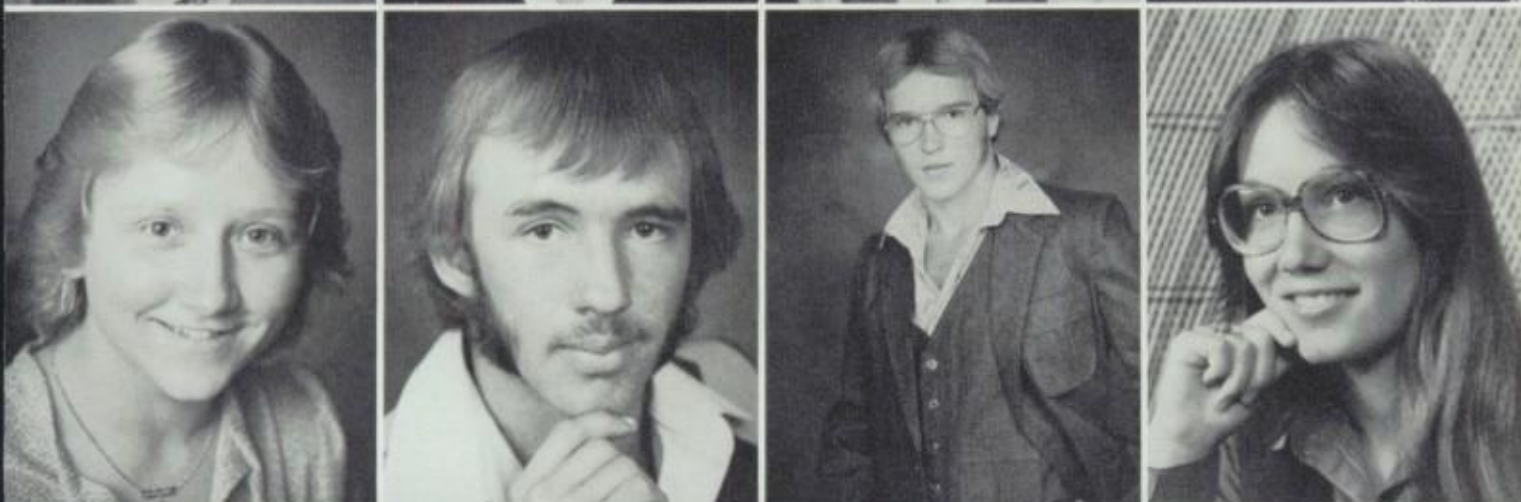




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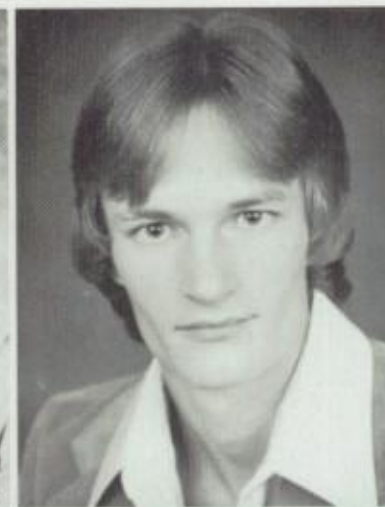
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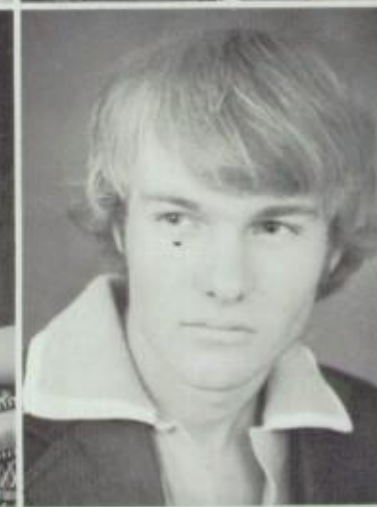
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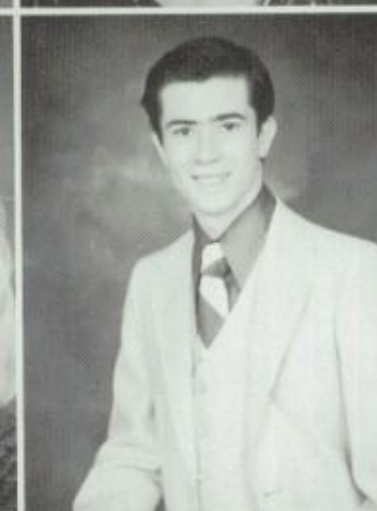
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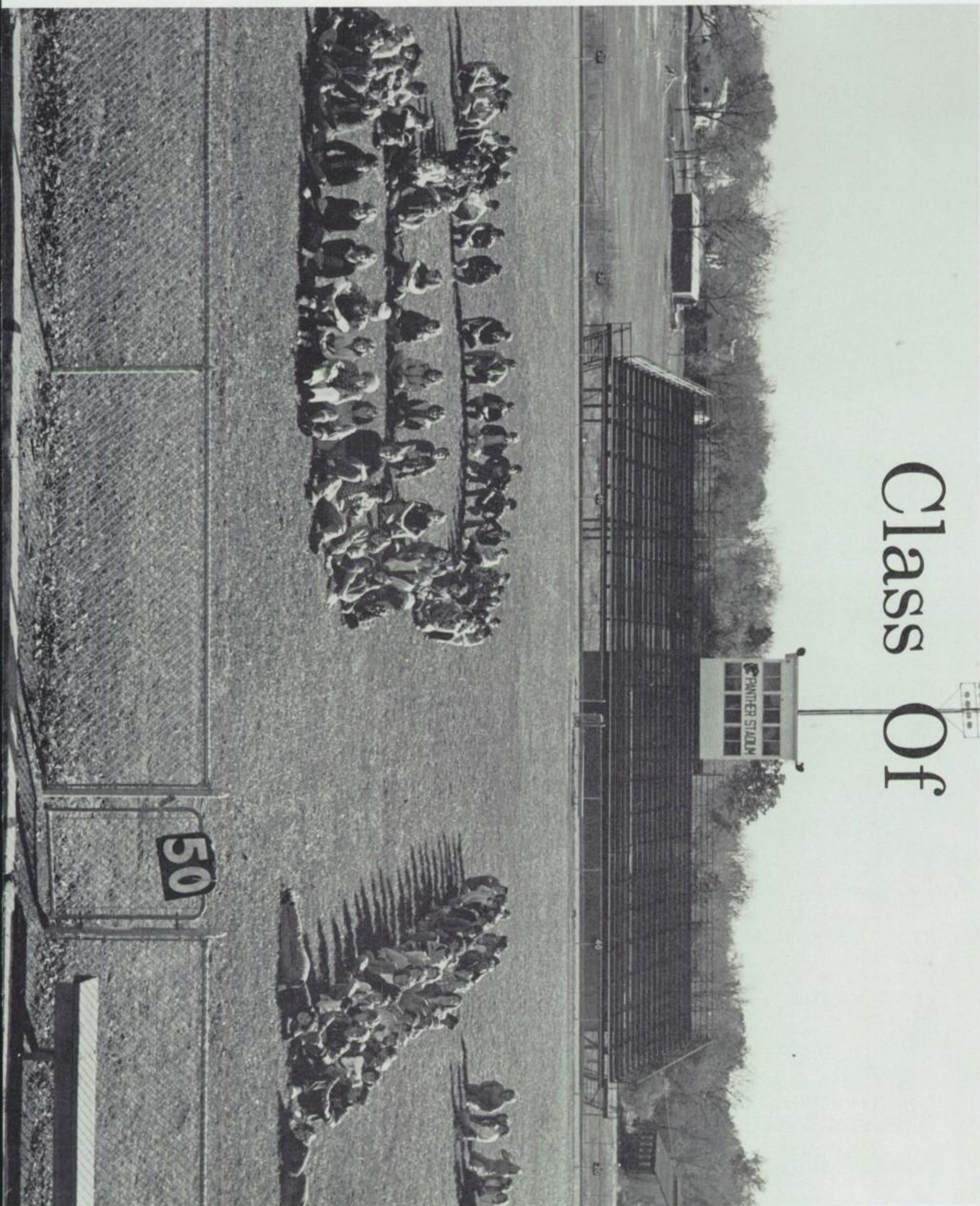


Billy D. Williams  
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# Class Of





# Senior summaries

*Chris Adams* - Baseball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,4; Key Club 3,4; Vice President 4; National Honor Society 4; Fellowship of Christian Athletes 3,4; Yearbook Staff 3,4; Sports Editor 4; Panther News Staff 3,4; M Club 3,4; Student Council 4; Missouri Boys State 3; Prom Committee 3.

*Terry Bell* - Industrial Arts Club 1; Concert Choir 2,3,4; Quartet 3,4; Key Club 3,4; Secretary of Key Club 4; Thespians 2; President of Chess Club 2; Athletics 1,2,3,4; Lettered in Baseball 2,3,4; Lettered in Basketball 4; National Honor Society 4.

*Sheila Jo Burnett* - F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Devotional Leader 3; President 4; Thespians 2,3,4; Historian 3; President 4; Variety Show 1,2,3; 3rd Place Winner 2; Lieutenant Connie Liebrivity - "MASH" 2; Happy Homer - "Saga of Dead Dog Gulch" 3; Bobbie Jo Pickens - "They'd Hang You in Nashville" 4; Student Director 4; Speech Contests: Houston Mo. Dramatic Interpretation Superior Rating 2; Springfield Mo. Original Oratory 3; Introduction to Speech 1,2; Debate 3; Theatre Arts 4; Oral Interpretation 4; Concert Choir 3,4; Sextet 4; SCA Select Choir 4; Voice of the Band 4.

*Regina Ann Campbell* - F.H.A. 1,2,3; FBLA 2,3; Girls Glee 2; DECA 4; Office Assistant 1,2,3.

*Marla Cantrell* - Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society 3; Office Assistant 2,3,4; Senior Marathon 4; Student Council 1,2; FTA 1,2,3; FBLA 3,4; Miss Merry Christmas candidate 2; Cadet Teacher 2,3; Top Ten Percent 4.

*Rebecca Clary* - A Band 1,2,3,4; Group Leader 4; Section Leader 4; Band Council Uniform Coordinator 4; Jazz Band 2,3; SCA Select Band 2,4; Girls Glee 1; Concert Choir 2,3,4; Accompanist 2,3,4; Madrigal I Rating 1,3; Madrigal I Rating II, 4; Trio Rating II, 3; Trio Rating I, 4; Solo Rating 1,4; SCA Select Choir 2,3,4; Choirletterman 2,3,4; Thespian 2,3,4; International Thespian 3,4; Thespian Treasurer 4; "Saga of Dead Dog Gulch" cast and set crew 3; "They'd Hang You in Nashville" cast makeup and set crew 4; Variety Show 2,3; District Speech Contest 4; Journalism Club 3; Panther News Staff 3; National Honor Society 2,3,4; Honor Roll 2,3,4; B.P.W. Girl of the Month 4.

*Karen Coble* - F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Vice President 4; Secretary 3; Parliamentarian 2; State FFA judging teams 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Treasurer 4; Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Top ten percent; A Band 1,2,3,4; SCA Select band 1; Outstanding Squad Member 3; Homecoming Parade Marshal 3,4; Century III Leader 4; Senior Girls Marathon; BPW Girl of the Month; Prom and Banquet Committee; DAR Citizen of the Year; Senior Trip Committee.

*Janet Conley* - FHA 1,2,3,4; Officer 3,4; Points Chairman 3; Vice President 4; President 4; Lily Top Salesman 3,4; Miss FHA 3,4; FHA State Meeting 3; Regional Camp 2,3; Regional Meeting 1,2,3,4; Regional Screening Voting Delegate 3; Co-ed Correspondent 4; 8 encounter Awards 3,4; Held two workshops at Regional 4; Award for Parliamentary Procedures 3; Awards for Athletic Competitions at Camp: 1st place in Obstacle course 3; Yard Dart Award 3; Best Name Tag Award 4; Handbook Chairman 4; Reading Olympics Committee 4; Model in Style Show 2,4; Float Committee 3; Food Stand Chairman 4; FBLA 4; Competed in District Competition 4; Top Tom 4; Art Club 3; Secretary 3; Treasurer 3; Program Chairman 3; Trip Chairman 3; FTA 1; Volleyball team 2; Alphabetic, Geographic, Subject, Gregg Filing Awards 3; Honor Roll 2,3,4; Assistant tutor 3; Class float committee 3; was on float 3; Mock City Election - City Clerk 4; Senior Girls Marathon 4.

*Bridget Courtney* - Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; FBLA 3; Treasurer 4; FTA 1,2,3,4; Student Council Girl Representative 2,3; Secretary 4; Spirit Club 1,2,3,4; Athletics 2; Senior Marathon; Prom Committee Chairman 3; Who's Who Among American High School Students; Homecoming Attendant 1; Honor Roll.

*Carmen Davidson* - Teachers Assistant 1,2; Library Assistant 1,2; Office assistant 1; Track 1; Home Ec I 1; Girls Glee 1.

*Robert Douglass* - Football 1,2,3,4; All Conference Defense, 2nd Team 3; All Conf. Offense, 1st Team 4; All Ozark Defense, 1st Team 4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; All Conf. Honorable Mention 3; All Conf. 1st Team 4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; M Club 2,3,4; FFA 1,2; Prom Committee Co-Chairman 3.

*Craig Fields* - Chess Club 2,3,4; Vice President 3; President 4; 1st place 10th grade Mtn. Grove chess tournament, 1st place; Niangua 3; West Plains 3; 2nd Overall Niangua 4; Thespians 2,3; National Honor Society 4; Science Fiction President 3; Student Spotlight 4; Excellent rating SCA speech contest 2; Prom Committee 3; Math Relays 4.

*Denise Fish* - Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Captain 3,4; Girls Basketball Team 2; Girls Track Team 2; Marching-Concert Band 1,2,3; Band Council 3; Spirit club 1,2,3,4; Spirit Club Treasurer 3; FTA 2,3,4; FHA 1,2; Devotion Leader 2; Sophomore Class Treasurer, Junior Class Treasurer, Senior Class Treasurer; Principals Advisory Committee 3; Future Business Leaders of America 3,4;



State voting delegate 3; Program Director 4; Chairman for Junior-Senior Banquet; Hoop Queen attendant 2; Gregg Filing Alphabetical, Geographic, and Subject Filing Awards 3.

*Bridget Freeman* - FHA 1; FTA 3; FBLA 3,4; Office helper 3,4; Cadet Teacher 2,3; Honor Roll 3,4; Student Tutor 4; Senior Marathon 4; Hoop Queen Candidate 4.

*Clay Freeman* - FFA Member 1; Industrial Arts Club 2; Homecoming Float Committee 2,3.

*Randy Gaddis* - Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3; M-Club, Twelfth Grade Honor Roll.

*Donna Hastings* - Music Makers 3; Girls Glee 2; Spirit Club 3.

*Beverlie Sue Hough* - Girls Glee 1,2,3; Thespians 2,3,4; FHA 2,3; Historian of Girls Glee 3; Treasurer of Foreign Language 2; Secretary of Foreign Language 2; Secretary of NJA 3; Assistant 1,2,3; DECA Secretary 4; Concert Choir 2,3; FTA 1,2; Secretary of Girls Glee 2; Foreign Language 1,2; Girls Representative NSA 4; DECA 4.

*Lisa Hovatter* - Varsity Football Cheerleader 2,3; Varsity Football Mascot 4; Spirit Club 1,2,3,4; Future Teachers of America 3,4; FTA Vice-President 4; National Honor Society 2,3,4; NHA Initiation Committee Chairman 4; Principals Student Advisory Committee 1,2,3,4; All School Play 3; Senior Girls Marathon 4; Student Council 1,3,4; Freshman Class Secretary; Junior Class Secretary; Student Body Executive Secretary 4; Elected for Senator Danforth's Leadership workshop 3; Hoop Queen attendant 3; Junior-Senior Prom Committee 3; Peer counselor 1,2; Coronation Committee chairman 3,4; Concert Choir 1,2,3,4; Lettered in Choir 3,4; Chorus Council 1,2,3,4; Choir Secretary 2,4; Choir Vice President 4; SCA Select Choir 1,3,4; Choir Madrigal 1,2,3,4;



Choir Trio 3,4; Received II Rating at District Contest for Madrigal 1,4; Received II Rating at District for Trio 3; Received I Rating at District for Madrigal 2,3; Received II Rating at State Contest for Madrigal 2; Received I Rating at State for Madrigal 3; Teacher's Assistant 1,2,3,4; A Honor Roll 2,3,4.

*Millie Mae Johnston* - Outstanding Sophomore, A Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Top Ten Percent of Seniors.

*Cindy Keesling* - Student Assistant 1; Library Assistant 3; Office Worker 4; Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; NHS 2,3,4; FTA 2,3,4; Cadet Teacher 3; FHA Advisory Committee 4; FHA 3,4; Thespians 3; All School Play 3; Foreign Language Club 2; High Life Concert Choir 1,2,3,4; SCA Select Choir 2,3; Stage Choir 1; District Music Festival Solo II Rating 3; Junior-Senior Prom Banquet Committee 3; Senior Trip Committee 4; Senior Girls Marathon 4.

*Craig Kjellberg* - Football 1; Track 1; Cross Country 3,4; Letterman 3,4; District 2nd Team 3; District 1st Team 4; State Finals 3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Letterman 2,3,4; Key Club 3,4; Treasurer 4; FCA 3,4; "M" Club 3,4; Vice-President of Senior Class; Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Top Ten Percent of Seniors.

*Richard Brackett LeFevers* - FFA 1,2,3,4; Parliamentarian 3; Group A Rating at State Judging teams 2,3,4; Football 1,4; Math and Science Club 4; Proficiency Award 2,4; Rodeo Club 2; Honor Roll 3,4; Chess Club 1,2,3,4.

*Carla Lathrom* - NHS 4; Hoop Queen Attendant 4; Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Senior Girl Marathon 4.

*Jackie Long* - FHA 1,2,3,4; Reporter 3; Secretary Regional Rep. 4; Senior Trip Committee 4; Assistant 2,4.

*Brian Mitchell* - A Band 1,2,3,4; Industrial Arts Club 1,2; VICA 1.

*Penny Darlene Mitchell* - A Band 1,2,3; Honor Band 2,3; Jazz Band 4; NHS 2,3,4; Spring Trip Committee Chairman 4; Initiation Committee 4; Top 10% of Seniors 4; Senior Trip Committee 4; Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Senior Girls Marathon 4; Prom-Banquet Committee 3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Letterman 1,2,3,4; SCA Conference Champs 3; Number 1 Offensive Team in State 3; District Champs 4; GBC Basketball Camp 3,4; Track 1,2,3; Letterman 1,2,3; FCA 2,3,4; FBLA 4; Geographic, Subject, Alphabetic Filing Awards 4; Tom Watt Selling Group 4; Treble Choir Pianist 2,3,4; President 3,4; Vice President 2; Southwest Central District Youth Fellowship Area President 4; Mansfield Explorers Post 271 of Mansfield, MO 3,4; Secretary 3,4.

*Lisa Ann Moseley* - FHA 1,2,3,4; Vice-President 4; State meeting 4; FTA 3,4; Cadet Teacher 3,4; NHS 3,4; Historian 4; SCA and District Speech Contests 2,3,4; All School Play 3,4; Office Worker 4; Filing Clerk (Mock City Election) 4; A Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Top Ten Percent of Seniors; SMSU Board of Regents Scholarship 4.

*Laurie Nixon* - A Band 2,3,4; Section Leader 4; District Solo I Rating 3; State Solo I Rating 3; District solo II rating 4; Concert Choir 3,4; District Solo II rating 3; SCA Select Choir 4; District Madrigal II Rating 4; District Sextet 4; FHA 2,3,4; Officer 4; State FHA Meeting 3; Art Club 3; Officer 3; Thespian 3,4; Officer 4; All School Play 3; Alderman (Mock City Election) 3; Honor Roll 3,4; Office Assistant 3,4; BPW Girl of the Month 4.

*Lori Penner* - A Band 1,2,3,4; Band Council 3,4; Librarian 3; President 4; SCA Select Band 1,2,3,4; Groupleader 3,4; Section Leader 3,4; Outstanding Band Member 3; McDonalds All-American Nominee 3; Best Marching Squad 3; District Concert Band 3; Woodwind Quartet 1,2; Woodwind Trio I Rating at District and State 3; Woodwind Trio 4; NHS 3,4; Secretary 4; FTA 2,3,4; Vice-President 3; President 4; Cadet Teacher 3; Prom-Banquet Committee 3; Senior Trip Committee 4; Senior Girls Marathon 4; Homecoming Attendant 4; A Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Top Ten Percent.

*Kent Peterson* - Baseball 1,2,3,4; Lettered 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Lettered 4; Football 1,2,3; Key Club 3,4; President 4; Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Prom Band Committee Chairman 3.

*Marcia Peterson* - Student Council 1,3,4; FHA/HERO 1,2,3,4; Senior Girls Marathon; Class President 1,3,4; FHA/HERO President 2,3; FHA/HERO Regional President 3; FHA/HERO Missouri's National Committee Member 4; Homecoming Attendant 3; Miss Merry Christmas 4; Senator Danforth Leadership Workshop 3; Band 1,2,3; Outstanding Junior Girl 3.

*Daniel Martin Pridemore* - Football 1,2; Basketball 1; Track 1; Boy Representative 2,3; National Honor Society 2,3; Cross Country 3; Houston Industrial Arts Fair 3; I Rating At State 3; Outstanding Woods Project Industrial Arts Fair 4.

*Dan Prock* - Football 1,2; Track 1,2,3,4; A Honor Roll 3,4; Lettered in Track 2,3,4.

*Janet Robertson* - Varsity Football Cheerleader 2,3,4; Spirit Club 2,3,4; Girls Basketball 2; Girls Track 2; FTA 2,3,4; FBLA 3,4; FBLA Historian Reporter

4; District 1; Alphabetic and Subject Filing Awards 3; Senior Girls Marathon.

*Tammy Rogers* - Miss Merry Christmas Attendant 1; FHA 1,2; FTA 1,2,3,4; FBLA 3,4; Pom Pon Girl 2; B Honor Roll 1,2,3,4

*Kelley Schudy* - FFA Member 1,2,3,4; Reporter 3; President 4; Sophomore Class President; Student Body President; A Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society 3; Parliamentarian 4; Track Team 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 3,4; Key Club member 3; American Oratory Speaking Winner 2; State FFA Teams 1,2,3,4; Student Advisory Committee 2,4; Journalism Club 2; Fellowship of Christian Athletics 4.

*LaVonna Shaw* - Concert Choir 1,2,3,4; FHA 1.

*Robin Sheppard* - FFA 1,2,3,4; Greenhand Knowledge Team 2nd at District and 4th at State. NHS 3,4; Senior Marathon; Assistant in AV office 3; Member of Rock Chapel Free Will Baptist Church.

*Jeff Stofer* - Athletics 1; FFA 3,4; Building Trades 3,4; Honor Roll 1,2,3,4.

*David Swofford* - Football 1,2; Basketball 1; Track 1; FFA 1,2; Dairy Product Team 1; Golf Team 2; All State FFA Chorus 2; SCA Choir 2,3,4; Student of the Month 4; Boy Quartet 4.

*Lori Todd* - NHS 2,3,4; FHA 1,2,3,4; FTA 3,4; FBLA 4; Alphabetic and Geographic and Subject Gregg Filing Awards 3; Thespians 3; All School Play 3; Thespian Variety Show 3; School Service 2,3,4; Senior Trip Committee; Senior Girls Marathon; Hoop Queen 4.

*Tracy Todd* - Baseball 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society 4; Football 1,2,3; Basketball 1,2; A Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Jr. Sr. Prom Committee 3.

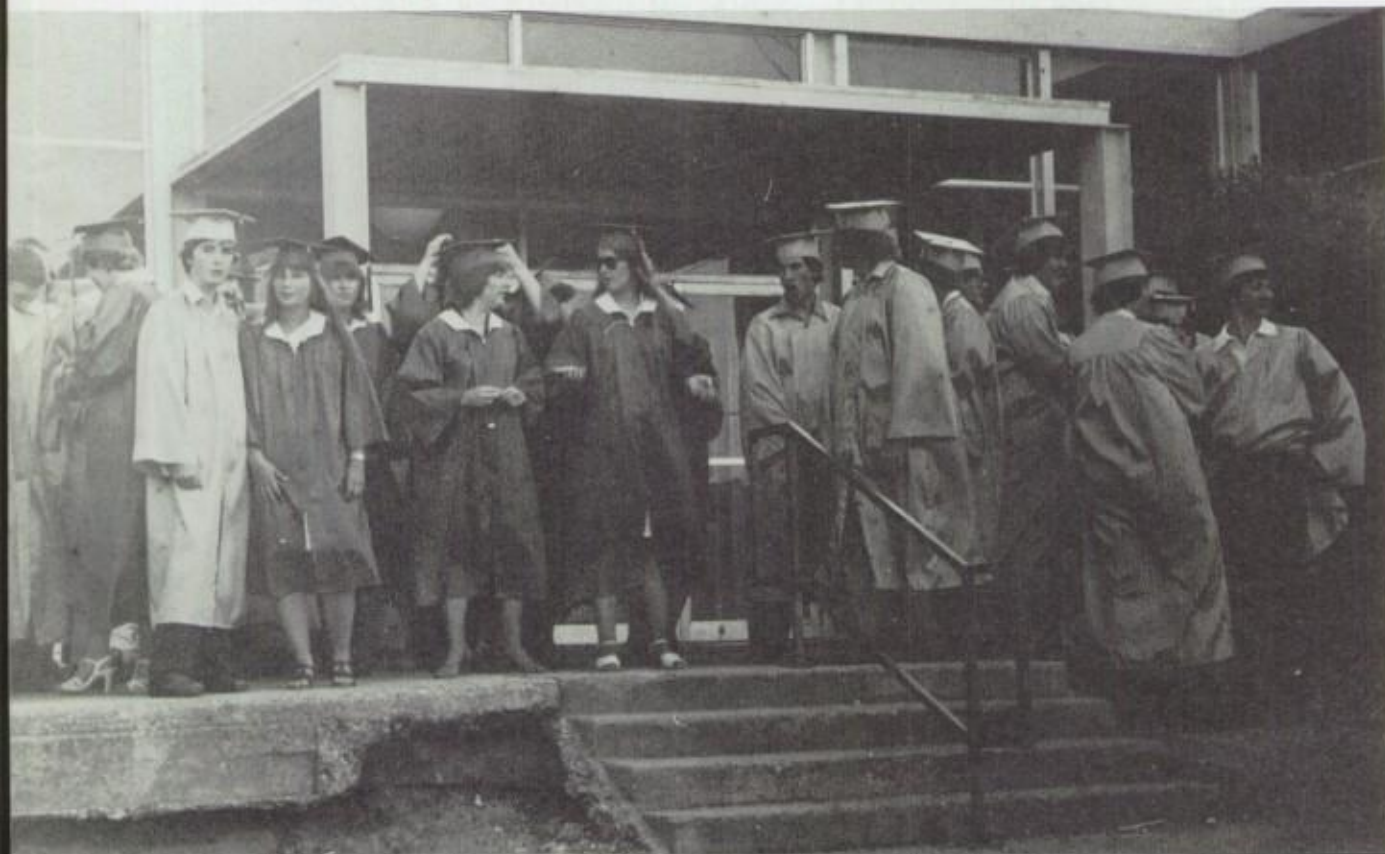
*Jeff Vinger* - Danforth Award Recipient 3; Boys State 3; A Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Vice President 4; Member of Concert Choir 1,2,3; Select Choir 2,3; All School Play 3; Senior Alderman 4; Computer Camp 3.

*Cynthia Louise Walker* - FHA 1,2,3,4; FTA 1; Girls Athletics 2,3; Prom Decoration Committee 3; Office Worker 2,3,4.

*Liz Ward* - FBLA 1,2,3,4; President 4; FTA 1,2,3,4; Historian 1; FHA 3,4; Student Council 3; Student Body Treasurer; Band 1,2,3,4; Drum Major 4; Spirit Club 1,2,3; Cheerleader 2,3; Senior Trip Committee 4; Principals Student Advisory Committee 3; Class Float Committee 1,2,3,4; Chairman 1,2,4; Varsity Basketball 1; Girls Track 1; Prom Band Committee 3; FCSC 4; FCA 3; School Service and Tutor 2; Senior Girls Marathon 4; Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Member of Church of God.







*Debbie Mead and Curtis Moody line up for Commencement.*

*Lori Todd concentrates on Senator David Doctorian's speech.*

*Bridget Freeman gladly receives her diploma.*

*Seniors anxiously await the beginning of the Commencement exercises.*



# Stepping out into the world



With the seniors taking their finals and clearing out lockers the week of May 15 was their last. On May 17 they returned for Baccalaureate services at 2 p.m. Rev. Lynn Wood was the speaker.

During the last week of school they returned off and on to practice graduation procedures.

Julie Sellars said that this was her last year of school and she felt great since she doesn't have to come back. Yet another replied, "The years at MGHS weren't what I expected."

The night of May 21 the seniors graduated. David Doctorian, state senator, was the guest speaker. The invocation was given by Jim Martin, pastor of Church of the Nazarene. Richard Wolfe gave out the diplomas. For some they had just finished all their schooling while others were going on to college.



*These seniors have awaited this moment for twelve years.*

*Seniors have mixed emotions about graduating.*

*These people prepare themselves for the moments ahead of them.*

*Kelley Schudy thinks back over his years at MGHS.*



# For this year's juniors it is just One more

The juniors had a busy year starting with a TV raffle which resulted in a \$100 profit.

Along with all their usual activities, selling cokes at ball games and making a float for Homecoming, they sponsored a dance.

The prom with the theme "Lost in Love" cost the class over \$2,000. The event was catered by the Big-T.

*Junior Class Officers:* Dale Crandall - Boy Representative, Sherri Fields - Girl Representative, Janice Hopkins - Secretary, Cindy Clark - Treasurer, Lisa Smith - Vice President, and Kim Smith - President.



Robert Adams  
Stanley Allomong  
David Altis  
Lori Amundson  
Sheila Bayless  
Lisa Bell  
Tammy Bell  
Kathy Bradley



Christine Bradshaw  
Tina Branson  
Tammy Bruce  
Kay Burdette  
Simonne Burke  
Joy Cain  
Violet Caldwell  
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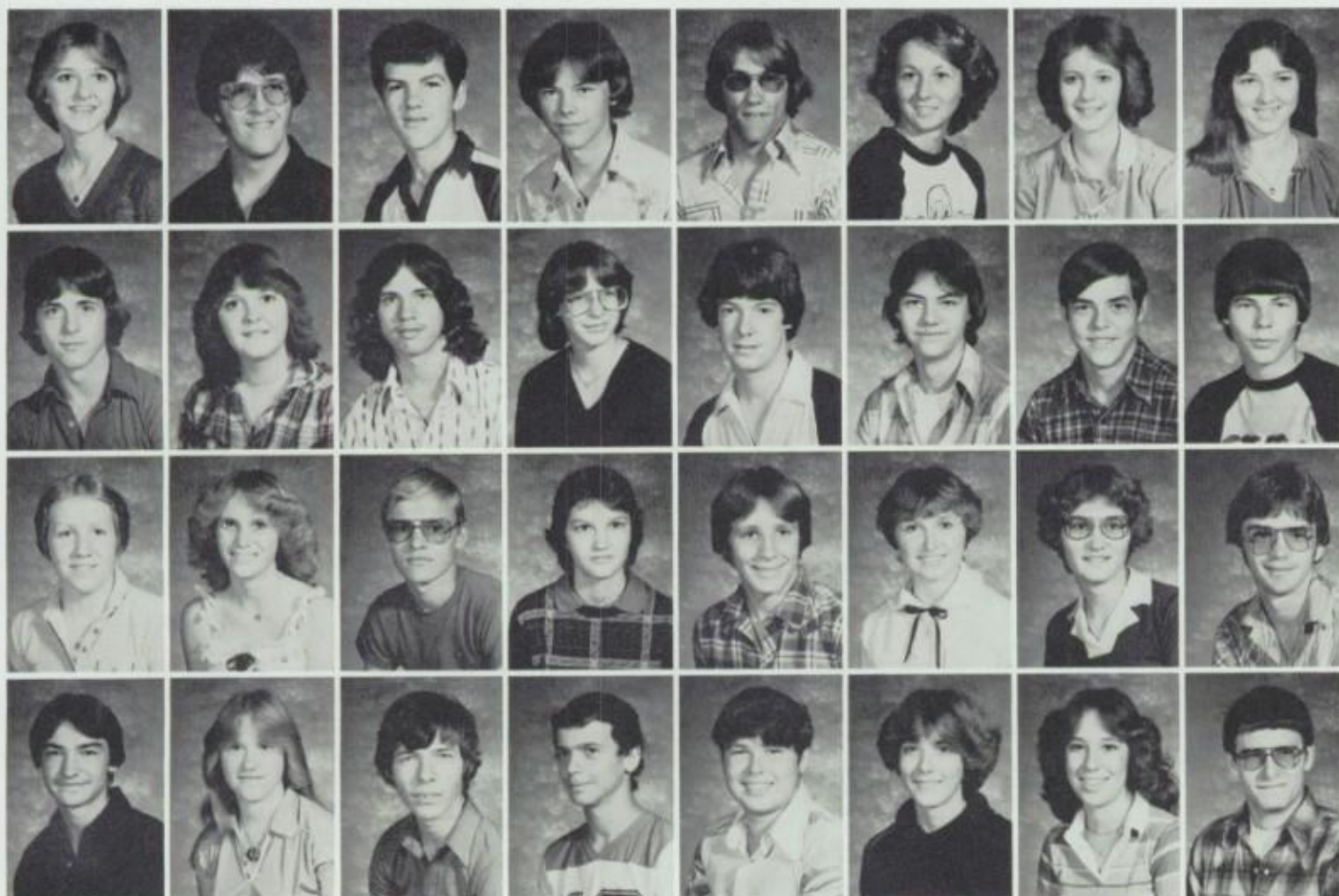
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Sue Danburg  
Valinda Davidson  
Gloria Deaton



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Shirley Dowden  
Jeff Driskell  
Tony Dugger  
Aleta Elliott  
Tom Emery  
Sherri Fields  
Robert Finch







Kim Friend  
Wesley Friend  
Jim Garrett  
Alan Gasperson  
Mike Goodman  
Terri Green  
Gina Griffin  
Theresa Grisham

Mark Harris  
Judy Hastings  
William Hicks  
Betty Hill  
Joe Hirsch  
Dwight Hoffarth  
Eric Hoffsomer  
Jeff Holman

Margie Holman  
Laura Hoover  
Steve Homer  
Janice Hopkins  
Steve Hopkins  
Sherry Housley  
Sandy Ice  
Ted Jarrett

Dwain Jennings  
Lisa Johnson  
Randy Johnson  
Steve Johnston  
Charles Kelley  
Larissa Kemper  
Tonya Knotts  
Steve Kutz



*Mike Goodman consults a friend as he disc jockey's for the journalism club radio show.*

*Dwight Hoffarth stops and poses for a picture in Adam Bramwell's jeep.*



Scott Lasco  
Jenny Lawson  
Tammy Liska  
Michelle Long  
LeAnna McCallister  
Dana McGowan  
Brian McGownd  
Cody McIntosh



Donna McIntosh  
Susan Mackey  
Mike March  
Tara Mayer  
Clark Mikkelson  
David Miller  
Greg Mitchell  
Tammy Mitchell



Melissa Mooney  
Gregg Moseley  
Mark Morris  
Lisa Murrell  
Dana Newberry  
Debbie Officer  
Vicky Oliphant  
Janet Palmer



Kirk Pamperien  
Kim Penner  
Debe Peterson  
Mike Peterson  
Steve Phillips  
Will Poindexter  
Brenda Pratt  
Ken Pridemore



Tim Privett  
Donna Prock  
Suzy Proctor  
Tina Raney  
Tom Ratterree  
Loren Roe  
Pat Rodery  
Patty Rodgers







## Delving into space

Butch Ferguson is a junior who has a hobby, and that hobby is rockets.

Butch has done some experimenting with his rockets. He has sent frogs, crickets and a mouse into space. He has even managed to put a camera in one and take a picture of the neighborhood.

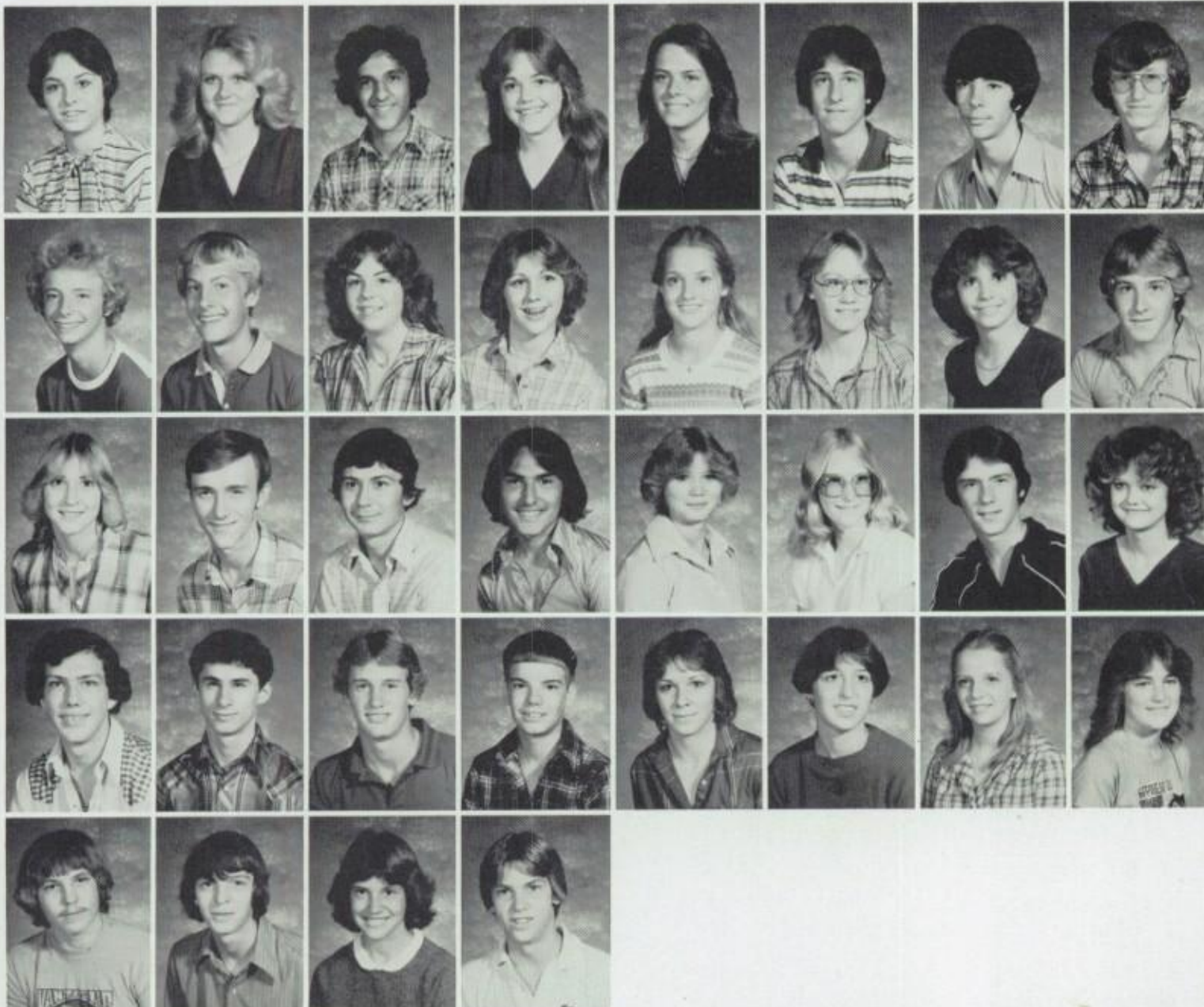
All together Butch has 14 rockets ranging from 2" to 3', but he has also lost 50 rockets.

Butch got into rockets about five years ago.

Butch told us that rockets are not dangerous if you know what you're doing, although he did have one blow up on the ground.

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Butch simulates a big space flight for class.



Connie Rogers  
Kecia Sanders  
Raminder Sandhu  
Denise Schilling  
Ann Schudy  
Jerry Schwertfeger  
Tim Scott  
Ronnie Sloan

Billy Smart  
Chris Smith  
Kim Smith  
Lisa Smith  
Nancy Smith  
JoBeth Spurgeon  
Tammy Taylor  
Jeff Thornhill

Michelle Turner  
Pat Ussery  
Eddie Vaughn  
Robert Villanueva  
Rosemary Volner  
Kim Wade  
Steve Wade  
Brenda Wake

Ben Walker  
Steve Walker  
Barry Ward  
Jody Whitehill  
Lanora Williams  
Sarah Williams  
Peggy Wilson  
Connie Winsor

Jeff Wiyrick  
Kevin Wiyrick  
Teri Woods  
Jeff Yoakam





*Sophomore Class Officers:* Marla Douglass - President, Margaret Miller - Vice President, Sandie Fish - Treasurer, Lanny Robertson - Boy Representative, Denise Delcour - Secretary, Darlene Crisp - Girl Representative.

Mike Adams  
Pat Adams  
Kelly Akers  
Jeanee Alvarez  
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Ellis Arnold  
Dale Atchinson  
Don Beck



Shelly Belt  
Duey Bender  
Angel Bernard  
Jeff Bishop  
Tilli Black  
John Branson  
Christy Breshears  
Vicky Brown



Greg Brummer  
Ronna Burch  
Cindy Burnside  
Mark Bushong  
Teresa Campbell  
Alisa Carter  
Linda Carter  
Dana Caston



## Dating and turning sixteen are the best parts of Being a sophomore

The sophomore class of '80-81 participated in many things throughout the year.

It was the big year for most sophomores as they turned sixteen, got their licenses, their own cars and went uptown on Friday and Saturday nights. They also began thinking about jobs to pay for the gas, at \$1.25 per gallon, required for

cruising the town.

The tenth graders were involved in math contests to volleyball, basketball, football, track and parades.

Their Homecoming float was entered as "When a Panther Calls."

Marla Douglass earned outstanding sophomore. She went to Jefferson City for one day. Margar-

et Miller and Steven Douglass were selected as alternates.

One person commented, "Sophomores sometimes feel that becoming juniors and seniors will be more exciting because they are treated as adults, and sophomores are treated as kids. But then they'll have more responsibilities to face, too."





Rhonda Clark  
Kim Collins  
Wesley Collins  
Terry Conley  
Norma Craig  
Ronda Crewse  
Darlene Crisp  
Dennis Crisp

Joanna Crisp  
John Dalton  
Bryan Davis  
Derrick Davis  
Denise Delcour  
Marla Douglass  
Steve Douglass  
Robert Drummond

Kevin Dunn  
Mike Dunn  
Greg Dysart  
Jeff Edwards  
Tracy Ellis  
Linda Emery  
Erik Farr  
Donald Finch

Sandie Fish  
Michelle Foster  
Steve Frazee  
Mark Freeman  
Mike Freeman  
Sherri Freeman  
Kyra Friend  
Tony Fullington

Shelly Gourley  
Karen Gray  
Valinda Groat  
Kris Hegle  
Yvonne Heim  
Dean Hendrix  
Brad Hicks  
Robin Hicks



*Cheryl Sawyer waits for Curtis Moody in his truck at lunch.*

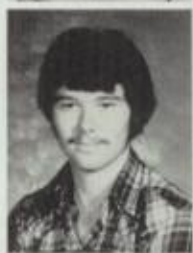
Not shown are Floyd Vaughn and Tammy Ward.



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Larry Horten  
Melissa Hutsell  
Barbara Hutson  
Marsha Jones  
Frank Keehner  
Violet Kelly  
Rhonda Kelsay



Paul Kennedy  
Andy Kjellberg  
Ken Lawson  
Jim Liska  
Debbie Long  
Scott McCoy  
Rhonda McCulley  
Kevin McGowan



James March  
Lane Messerer  
Margaret Miller  
Teresa Millsap  
Paula Mitchell  
Roxanne Mooney  
Bruce Moore  
Debbie Moore



Londa Moore  
Mike Murphy  
Carol Parker  
Rhonda Parsons  
Ricky Parsons  
Harvey Perkins  
Rusty Peterson  
Tammy Privett



David Rader  
Penny Rader  
Dianna Ratterree  
Sherry Renfrow  
Dale Rhodes  
Lyle Rhodes  
Randy Rhodes  
Steve Richardson



## Rhonda plans for future in engineering

Rhonda McCulley, a sophomore, is one of the many talented people on the MGHS math team.

Over the years she has been working hard and it has paid off. At math contests this year Rhonda came in first in matrices and determinants at SMSU, second place in problem solving at Camden-ton, second place in the 3A division

in geometry and won overall in the calculator division, both at School of the Ozarks.

Rhonda's future plans are to go to college at the University of Missouri at Rolla, majoring in electrical engineering. This would take her about four and one half to five years. She thinks it would be neat to put together electrical systems and design them.







*Cody Tollison wonders why he is the only one in class.*

*Karen Grey portrays Dolly Parton at the Student Council talent show.*



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Dale Robertson  
Gary Robertson  
Jimmy Robertson  
Lanny Robertson  
Larry Robertson  
Eddie Rogers  
Donny Rutz

Cindy Sanders  
Cheryl Sawyer  
Anita Scherer  
Donny Schilling  
Norma Sellars  
Lisa Shannon  
Joe Sheldon  
Becky Sheppard

Brenda Shields  
Jake Slayton  
Dean Smart  
Dennis Smith  
Karla Smith  
Terry Smith  
Jacky Stevenson  
Gerald Stinson

Marsha Stofer  
Terry Strunk  
Marty Todd  
Cody Tollison  
Todd Vinger  
Lillie Walker  
Sonya Walker  
Roger Ward

Rhonda Weyrauch  
Daryl White  
Jay Whitehill  
James Wilson  
Helen Willhite  
Burl Williams  
Donna Wyrick  
Jeff Worstell



# The thrill of ninth grade life makes students speak out on Becoming freshmen

Most of the ninth graders thought it was a pretty good year. Some students made comments about their first year in high school. Diane Doughty said "It's better having a name like freshmen than being called seventh or eighth graders."

John Roe thought the year was "kinda funky" and Debbie Browning commented, "The year went by faster and was more exciting than last year."

David Richardson mentioned, "This was the best ninth grade football season yet."

Michelle Hampton added "More people get involved in clubs and activities," while Ray Benthall summed it all up by saying "It was lousy."

*Freshman Class Officers:* Lynne Crandall - Secretary, Debi Deaton - Vice President, Dani Swofford - Girl Representative, Donna Davidson - Treasurer, Cara Wright - President, Steve Hirsch - Boy Representative.



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Ricky Bauer  
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Todd Brown  
William Brown  
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Debbie Carder  
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Tim Carter  
Jeanette Chaney  
Lori Clark  
Brenda Coffman



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Wesley Collins  
Jeff Cooley  
Keith Cope  
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Jerry Driskell  
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Tommy Ellis  
Julie Emery  
Tracy Finch  
Donna Freeman  
Randy Freeman  
Nancy French

Jeanna Friend  
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Shenan Gerald  
Aaron Gloth  
Jeff Goodman

Debra Gourley  
Gaylia Graven  
Tim Green  
Michelle Hampton  
Barbara Harrington  
Mark Hasek  
Julie Hastings  
Kelly Hefner

Pauline Hicks  
Tracy Hicks  
Vince Hilt  
Steve Hirsch  
Becky Hopkins  
Scott Hopkins  
Curtis Hough  
Derrick Hutsell

## Becoming freshmen

Part of being in high school is having your classes count as credits for graduation. The ninth graders got to elect queen attendants. Barbara Harrington was the Homecoming attendant, Lori Peterson was their Christmas attendant and Diane Doughty was elected Hoop attendant.

Their Homecoming float "Bury the Bulldogs" won honorable mention in the humor category.

Freshmen have discovered that they like hanging out in the lobby and going to movies.

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*Jeanna Friend does her dramatic interpretation for the Student Council talent show.*





Lisa Hutsell  
Robert Hutsell  
Tommy Ice  
Lonnie Jennings  
Mike Kelley  
Jerry Kelly  
Tony Kelly  
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Kevin Martin  
Randy Massengale  
Billy Middleton  
Marsha Miller  
Carmen Mitchell  
Jeff Mitchell



Kevin Mitchell  
Gina Moore  
Britia Moritz  
Richard Nelson  
Darlene Newman  
Debbie Noble  
Trish Palmer  
Lonnie Pederson



Lori Peterson  
Dale Rader  
Berna Ratterree  
Donald Ratterree  
Robert Reed  
David Richardson  
Terry Richardson  
Andrew Roach



Several freshmen, including Debbie Deaton, Lynn Crandall, Cara Wright and Barbara Harrington play during the football games in the MGHS band.





## Freshman Cara Wright achieves academic and instrumental success

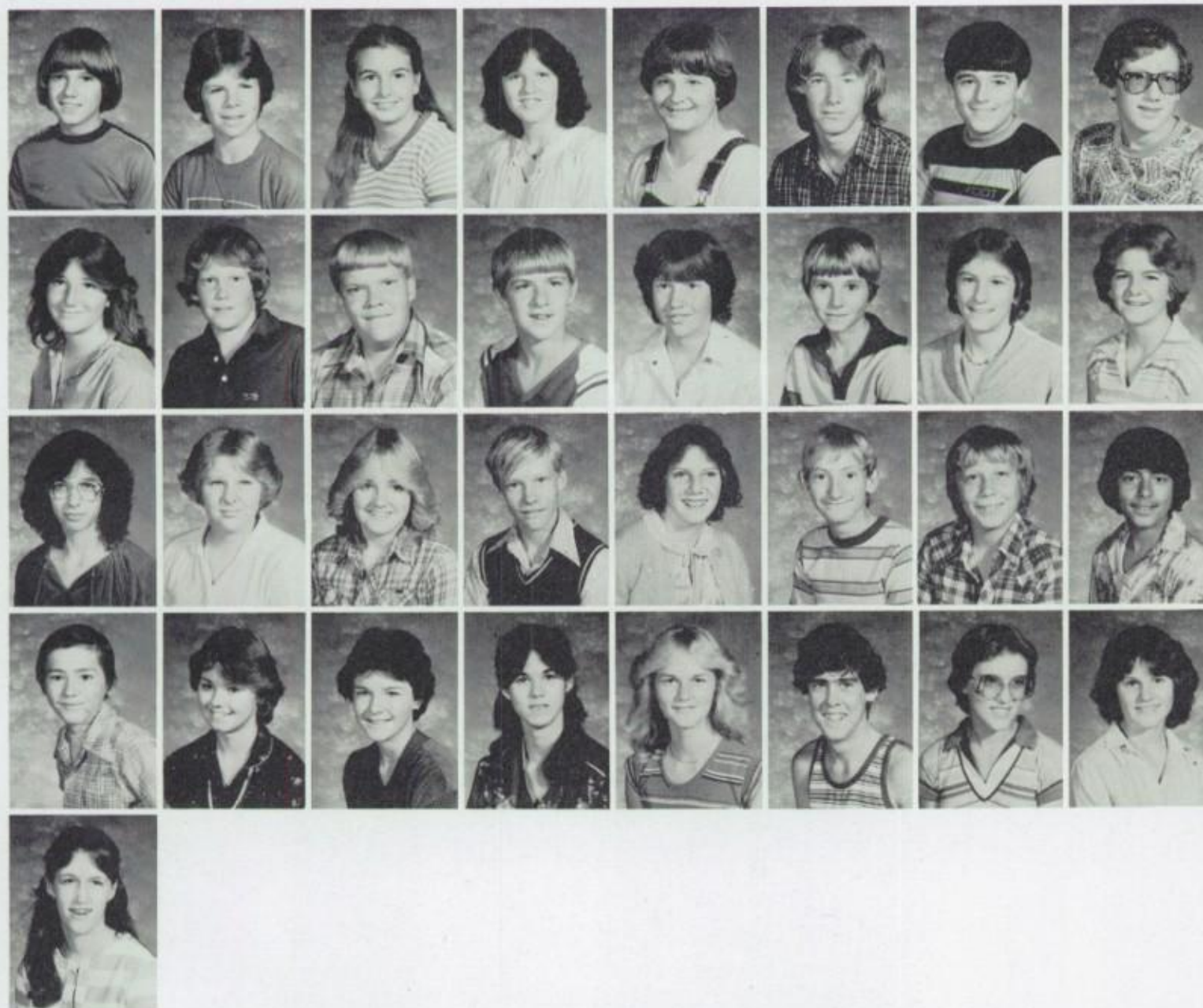
Cara Wright, a freshman, is an "A" student at MGHS as well as an active member in band and a Thespian member. Cara has been in band three years and practices at least one hour a day on her saxophone. She also plays the piano.

Cara has gone to Mountain Grove school all her school years. Although she's not sure of her entire future plans, she knows she would like to go to college at Drury in

Springfield, Mo.

Cara keeps herself busy with a part-time job at her family's business, The Surplus Store. When she finds time between studying and working, she likes to dance, read and listen to or play her own music.

Cara gets along with her teachers well. Mr. White, a science teacher, thinks very highly of Cara, saying "She's a good academic student."



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Ronnie Schepp  
Crystal Seymour  
Tena Shannon  
James Sinning  
Donnie Sloan  
Jeff Smith  
Rodney Smith

Racheal Sparbel  
Charles Spreitzer  
Pat Squirell  
Jeff Stigall  
Darla Stinson  
Jeff Strube  
Dani Swofford  
Vaneeta Tapp

Cheryl Thomas  
Carol Thompson  
Kelly Thornhill  
Dave Tompkins  
Anna Trowbridge  
Dennis Vaughn  
Kirk Vaughan  
Patrick Villanueva

Randy Volner  
Sandy Walker  
Missey Ward  
Lisa Warren  
Mandy Welton  
Jack Wiggins  
Shelley Wilkerson  
Cara Wright

Carol Yeager





*Eighth Grade Class Officers:* Andrea Upshaw - President, Kelly Hasek - Vice President, Steve Hall - Boy Representative, Lisa Martin - Girl Representative, Jenny Spreitzer - Secretary, Judy Tinsley - Treasurer.

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Dean Adams  
Billy Adamson  
Lisa Akers  
Vickie Allomong  
David Andrews  
Scott Baker  
James Belt



Eric Bradshaw  
Earcie Burch  
Evalyn Burgard  
Debra Burney  
Theresa Calhoun  
Jimmy Cannon  
Howard Carter  
Pam Carter



Doug Chadwell  
Kim Chapman  
Jay Clark  
Cathy Clayton  
Lee Clinton  
Jimmy Coatney  
Doug Coday  
Tracey Collins



## A memorable year

Has made the eighth grade class anticipate the next four

The beginning of the year was good for the eighth graders as their Homecoming parade float "Scrap the Bulldogs" won honorable mention.

Around Christmas time the eighth grade class officers constructed a colorful calendar in the cafeteria. It consisted of all of the holiday activities and told of everyone's birthdays that are in the

month of December.

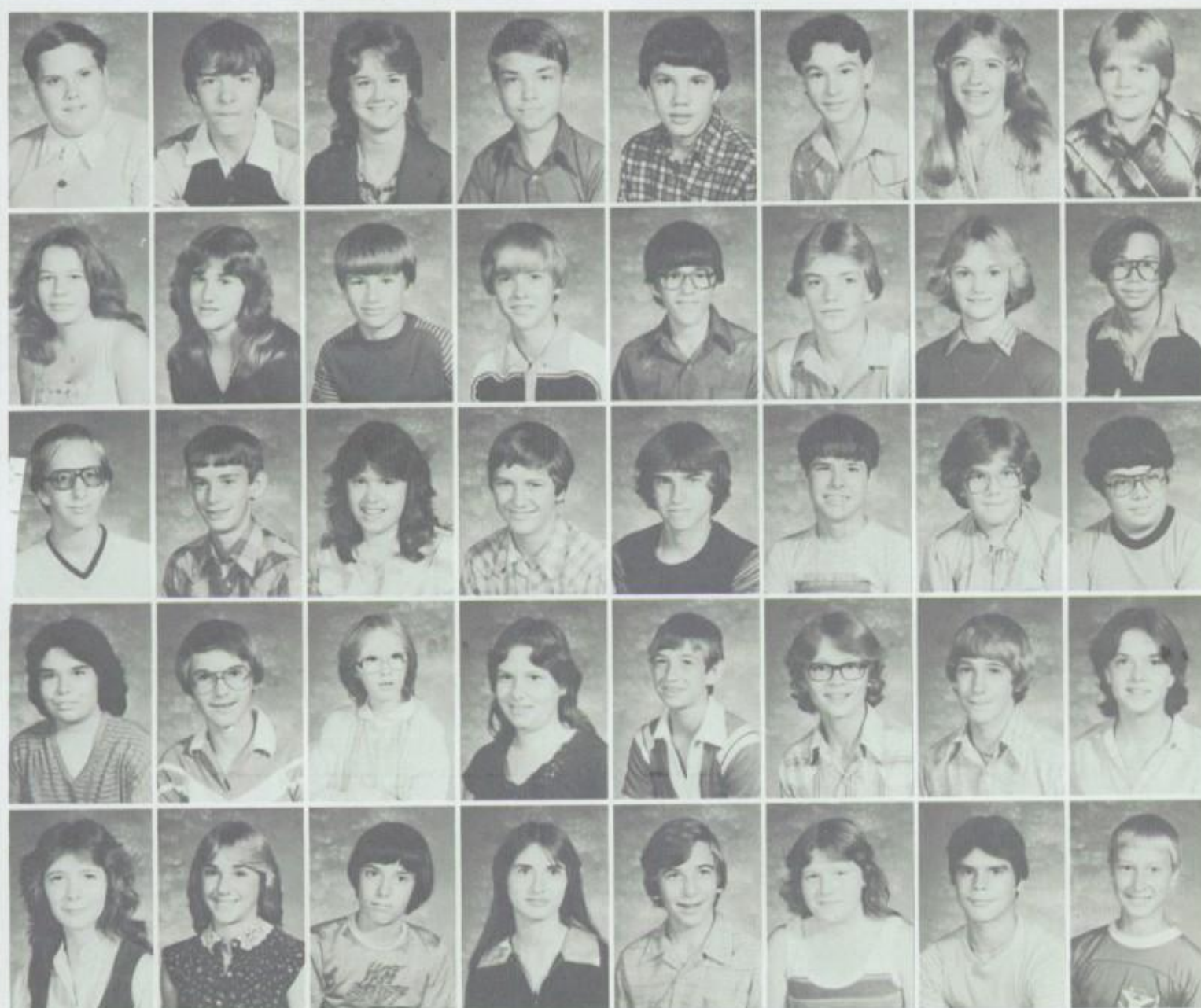
When it came time for junior high dances, the eighth graders got the privilege of doing most of the decorating. They had a good time dancing to the beat from 7 to 10 p.m. All together the eighth graders had two dances, and Joe Hirsch supplied the music for them both times.

The eighth grade football and

basketball seasons went well with a 4-1 record in football, and a 8-5 record in basketball. The girls had a winning season in basketball.

Most of all the eighth graders are looking forward to next year when they can start participating in high school activities.





Billy Conley  
 Shawn Conner  
 Missy Coonts  
 Tony Cooper  
 Tony Courtney  
 Len Crewse  
 Annette Crisp  
 Tommy Cudworth

Julie Dawson  
 Delinda Deaton  
 Robert Delcour  
 Russ Delcour  
 Terry Delcour  
 John Douglass  
 Lynda Douglass  
 Mike Drummond

Jimmy Duey  
 Kerry Dunn  
 Kathy Ellingwood  
 David Elliott  
 Randy Emery  
 Brian Fields  
 Tonya Friend  
 Melvin Frost

Michelle Frost  
 Doug Goans  
 Melody Grove  
 Tammy Grover  
 Brent Halford  
 Dennis Hall  
 Steve Hall  
 Kim Harris

Christy Hartzell  
 Kelly Hasek  
 Billy Headley  
 Margaret Hicks  
 Doyle Holt  
 Missy Holt  
 John Hopkins  
 Wesley Housley



*Mrs. LaFever's eighth grade class takes a break to discuss the latest happenings.*



Jenny Hultz  
Kim Hungerford  
Benji Hurtt  
Teresa Hutson  
Mike Hyde  
Richard Keehner  
Robert Keehner  
Shirlene Knotts



Gayla Largent  
Robin LaRue  
Faron Lathrom  
Dale Lawson  
Debra Lemons  
Margaret Long  
Payge McGowan  
Mary McFarland



Ray Mabe  
Eileen Madonia  
Annette Martin  
Lisa Martin  
Stacy Merchant  
JoAnn Middleton  
Karen Mills  
Calvin Mings



Sean Mooney  
Sandra Moore  
Peggy Morgan  
Tommy Nash  
Glenna Nielson  
Carol Noble  
Brenda Nungesser  
Linda Nungesser



Burbon Owens  
Randy Parsons  
Steve Parsons  
Kevin Phillips  
Mike Postelwait  
Teresa Privett  
Connie Prock  
Jeff Rader



*Eighth grade Panther fans show lots of enthusiasm at the Regional basketball games.*

*Not pictured are Logan Alsup, Blane Bennett, Becky Giles, Shelly Mooney.*





## Double Vision: The Nungesser twins

Brenda and Linda Nungesser are identical twins. So identical in fact that most people feel as though they are experiencing double vision whenever they encounter Brenda and Linda in the hall, walking at the same gait, wearing identical clothes and carrying their books in the same hand.

Most identical twins seem to have some physical feature or personality characteristic that helps distinguish them from their twin. But the physical similarities between Brenda and Linda are so strong that most people, including some of their teachers, found it hard to tell them apart.

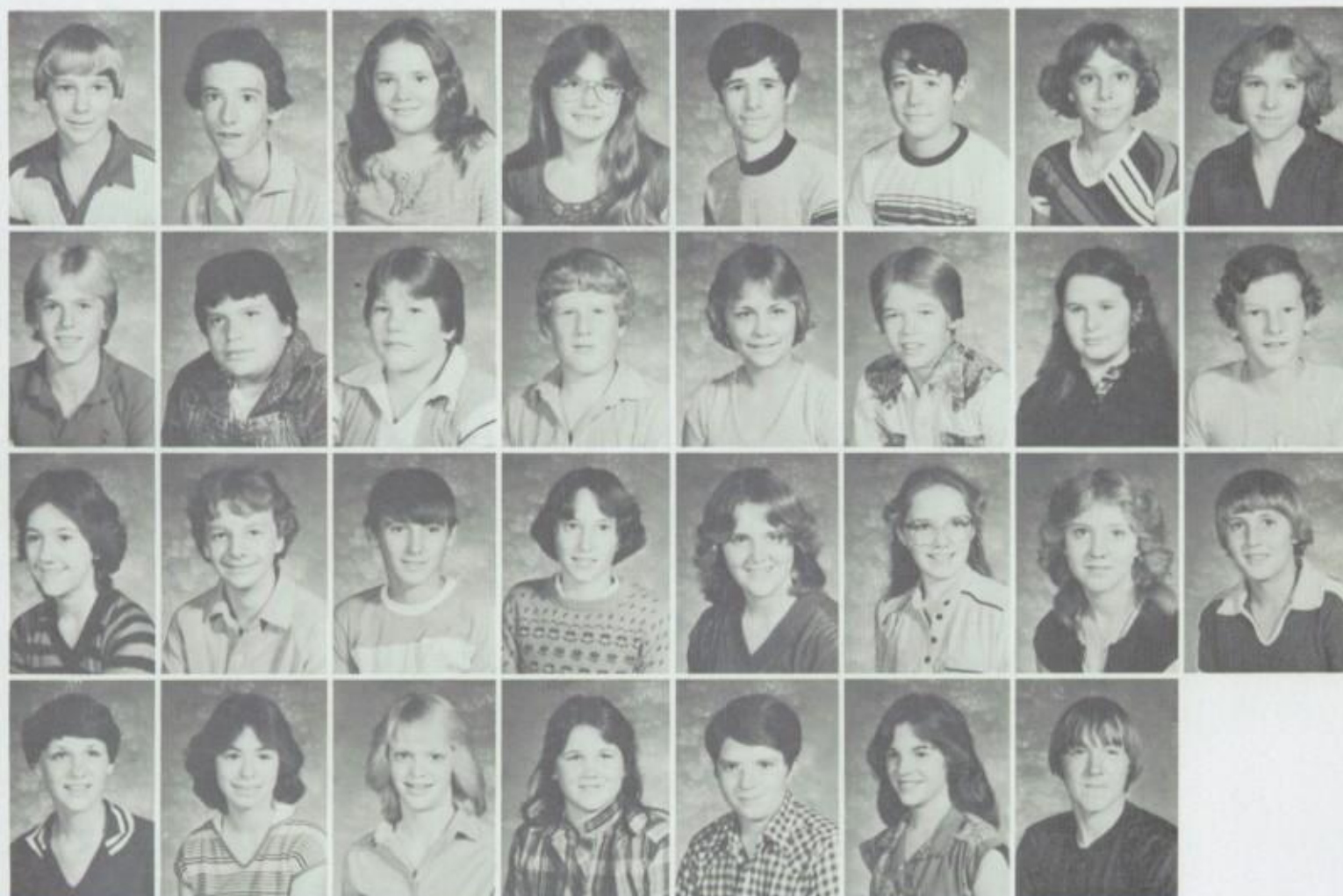
The similarities between Brenda and Linda seem to be endless. As one teacher put it, "They use identical wording and make identical mistakes." Another teacher who had them different hours said, "Even though they are not in the same class, they will ask the same

questions when we go over an assignment."

I asked Brenda and Linda if anything interesting ever happened to them because they look so much alike. They told me, "When we were in kindergarten, we used to switch seats when the teacher wasn't looking because she couldn't tell us apart." All of this came to an end however when they were put in separate classes from first to sixth grade.

Brenda and Linda are now in the eighth grade and take school very seriously. Both are A students and spend most of their spare time studying together.

According to their mother Brenda and Linda have always been very close. "They have always chosen to share the things they had." Although Brenda and Linda have no definite plans for the future they do plan to live near each other if at all possible.



Greg Raney  
Chris Ray  
Carla Rhodes  
Charlotte Rhodes  
Billy Robertson  
James Robertson  
Mary Roe  
Chris Roth

Chance Sanders  
Chris Sandoval  
Mark Schuster  
Joe Shannon  
Janean Skaggs  
Darrell Smith  
Jennifer Smith  
Russell Smith

Vickie Smith  
Doug Sparks  
Shane Spiva  
Jenny Spreitzer  
Christy Thornhill  
Judy Tinsley  
Melinda Todd  
David Turner

Andrea Upshaw  
Kathy VanFossen  
Jan Ward  
Kelly Warren  
Rory Weed  
Shari White  
Joe Wiyrick



# Junior High dances, the challenge of combination lockers and the hectic rush to the lunch lines help make up Seventh grade life

Have you ever wondered what the seventh graders are like? Well put your mind at ease because we've come up with the answers.

A question that might have been bothering you for years is "What do seventh graders do in their spare time?"

We asked them and the girls' responses were that two thirds watch TV while the other third spends their leisure time reading, listening to the radio, riding horses, fooling around, making pot holders and bothering their brothers as much as possible.

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*Seventh Grade Class Officers:* Shane Coffman - Boy Representative, Sandy Leighty - Secretary, Robin Mayer - President, Dale Amundson - Vice President, Missy Pamperien - Girl Representative, Chris Holifield - Treasurer.



Donald Adamson  
Roberta Adamson  
Dawn Alexander  
Dale Amundson  
Mavonne Anderson  
Samantha Archie  
Billie Austin  
Russel Ballinger



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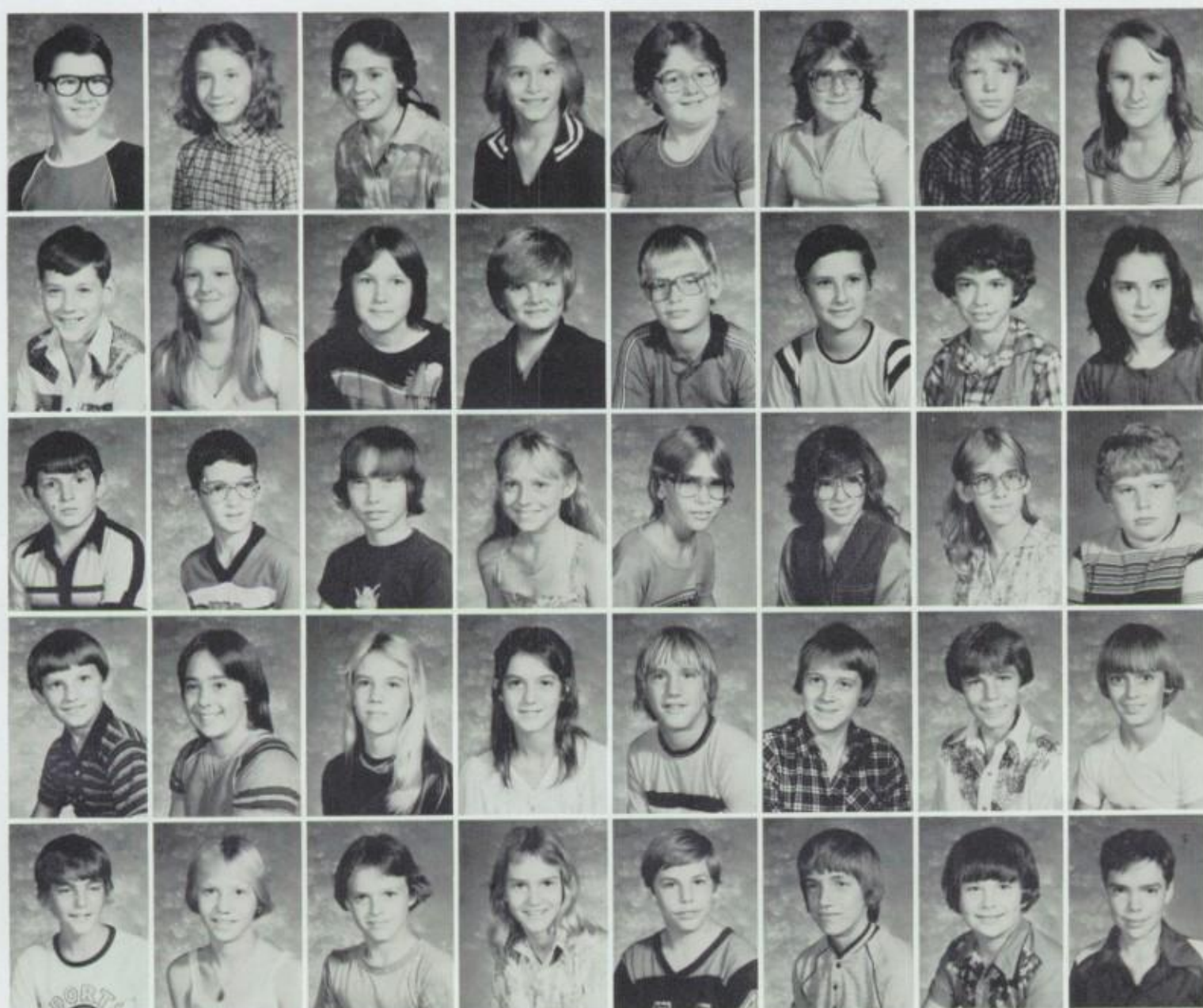
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Wreatha Burgard  
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Dwayne Cantrell  
Rick Cantrell  
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Tracy Caston  
Linda Chaney  
Robert Clark  
Barbara Cline  
Verna Coatney  
Becky Conley







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Shiela Creed  
Cathy Crewse  
Donnie Crisp  
Loretta Crisp

James Cruse  
Mona Davis  
Tammy Deaver  
Matt Dennis  
Ernest Dobbs  
David Doughty  
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Greg Dugger  
David Eisenhower  
Tony Emery  
Stacy Farr  
D'Van Feston  
Cindy Finch  
Amy Finney  
Donny Freeman

Shawn Friend  
Debbie Gardner  
Tina Glenn  
Christine Gloth  
Wayne Goodman  
Karl Grawe  
Dennis Gray  
Lloyd Gray

Harvey Green  
Rhonda Harms  
Curtis Harris  
Carrie Hayes  
Byron Hendrix  
Kevin Hicks  
Terry Hicks  
Tim Hill

## Seventh grade life

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The majority of the boys like sports while many others like to ride bikes, hunt and fish, play, work at hobbies and do chores.

Still there are some who enjoy sleeping, roping, goofing off and chasing girls.

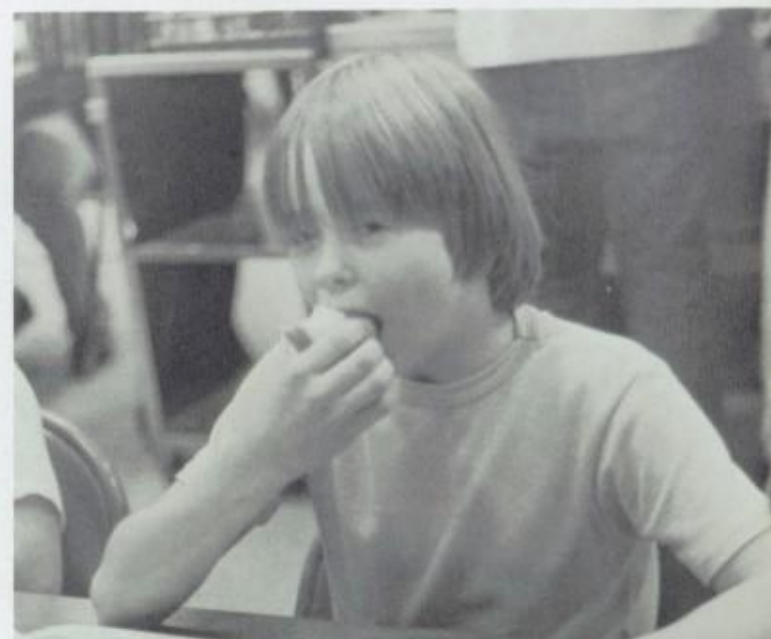
Do they have a job? Half of the seventh grade girls surveyed do have jobs. For instance, most of the

girls babysit while some of them clean house, do yard work and chores. One girl works at Sears and one at Mother Goose.

A little less than half of the boys have jobs. The most common jobs among the boys who do work are farm work and yard work.

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*Donnie Smith hungrily chows down.*





Leslie Hilt  
Dennis Hodges  
Cris Holifield  
Kirby Holt  
Roland Honeycutt  
Daryl Hopkins  
Ralph Hungerford  
Margo Hutsell



Michele Hutsell  
Karen Hyde  
Aaron Kidd  
Marie LaRue  
Sandy Leighty  
Dennis Lockhart  
Marsha Long  
Sonya Long



Terenna Luckey  
Randy Mabe  
Velma Mabe  
Missy MacDonald  
Clifton Maloney  
Tonya Mangan  
Sandra Maxwell  
Robin Mayer



Teresa McCune  
Billy Mikkelsen  
Jimmy Miller  
Penny Mills  
Michelle Mitchell  
Doug Moore  
Pam Moore  
John Nelson



Darrell Newberry  
Tim Nunn  
Becky Palmer  
Missy Pamperien  
David Parmenter  
John Parsons  
Jamie Pearman  
Mike Prock



## From England — Karl Grawe



In Essex, England you graduate when you're sixteen but you don't get to drive until you're seventeen. This is what Karl misses most about England.

Karl Grawe and his family, a younger brother in fourth grade, a sister in sixth grade, an older brother who is seventeen years old and his mother and father, Ann and Paul, moved to Mountain Grove from Essex, England in 1979. They all share the responsibility of running the T-Bone Steak House, the family's business.

Karl is currently a seventh grader at MGHS. In comparing schools, Karl remarked that most of the classes are about the same. In English schools the sports field is narrowed down to two, soccer and baseball.

Karl enjoys fishing and bike riding, since that's what he did the most when he was in England. He thinks Mountain Grove is a rowdy town and wants to move back to England because he misses his friends.





Julie Proctor  
Craig Rathbone  
LouAnn Ray  
Lee Romero  
David Schepp  
Alisha Scherer  
Suzy Sheldon  
Larry Shepherd

Shannon Slater  
Danny Smart  
Donny Smith  
Kyle Smith  
Sean Smith  
Sara Spreitzer  
Cindy Stigall  
Darlene Stigall

Sheila Stigall  
Steven Swanger  
Lori Townsend  
Tammy Travis  
Steven Turner  
Kenny Uchtman  
Brenda Wade  
Tina Wade

Ronald Wakefield  
Cindy Walker  
Craig Walker  
Vida Watson  
Greg Westfall  
Bill Wilson  
Steven Weyrauch  
Julie Wolfe

## Seventh grade life

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A few of the boys haul wood, pick walnuts, deliver pop and work for Colonial Bread. One boy is even a scrap dealer with his father.

The lifelong ambition of most of the girls is to become a teacher. Others want to be nurses, beauticians, doctors, stewardesses, coaches and lawyers.

Some of the more interesting occupations stated were to be a private eye, a model, a billionaire's wife and a disco skater.

Most of the boys plan to become professional athletes, truck drivers and farmers.

Being a policeman, doctor, dentist or a construction worker are some other boys' intentions.

A few fascinating answers to the survey were one boy would like to own a sleeping factory, another boy is into "money-making."

Because most of the rookies don't like school lunches, we asked them what kind of food they do

like. Pizza was the overwhelming favorite among all of them followed by chicken, spaghetti, shrimp, fish, ice cream, peanut butter, chili and hotdogs.

There are always the popular hamburger and french fries. There were also a few exotic favorites such as chocolate ice cream with cheetos, boiled crab, raw oysters and everything.

As you can see, the seventh graders have a lot of new ideas for their futures. As bizarre as they may seem maybe some of the students will fulfill their plans of opening a sleeping factory, becoming a private eye or a billionaire's wife.

*Karen Hyde, Pam Moore and Chris Holifield try desperately to escape the camera's view as they prepare to enter the lobby.*

*Not pictured are Shane Coffman, Shane Griffin, Arty Hultz, Barbara Hutsell, Randy Miller, Kevin Mings, Brad Rader, Linda Walker, Frankie West.*





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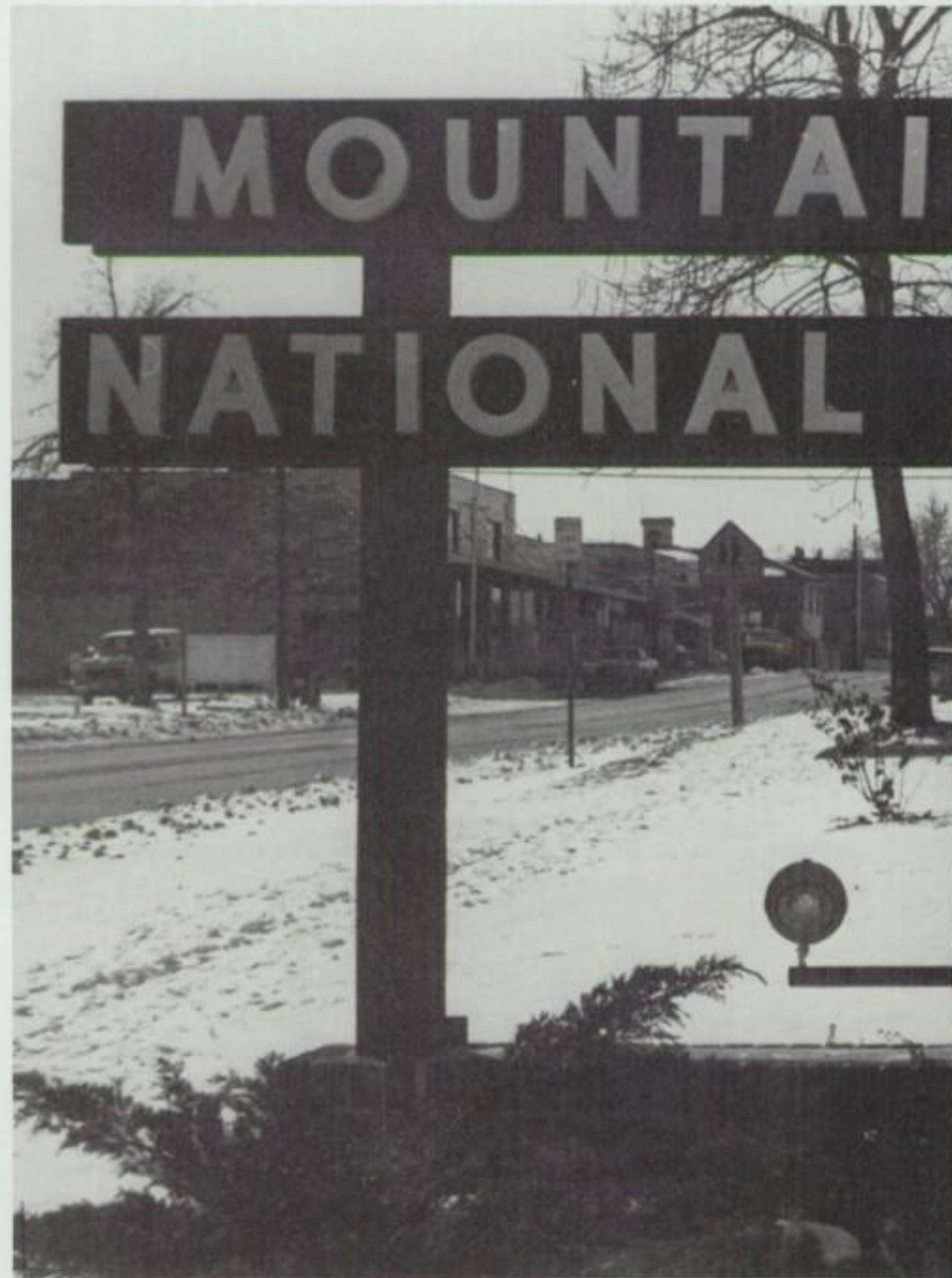
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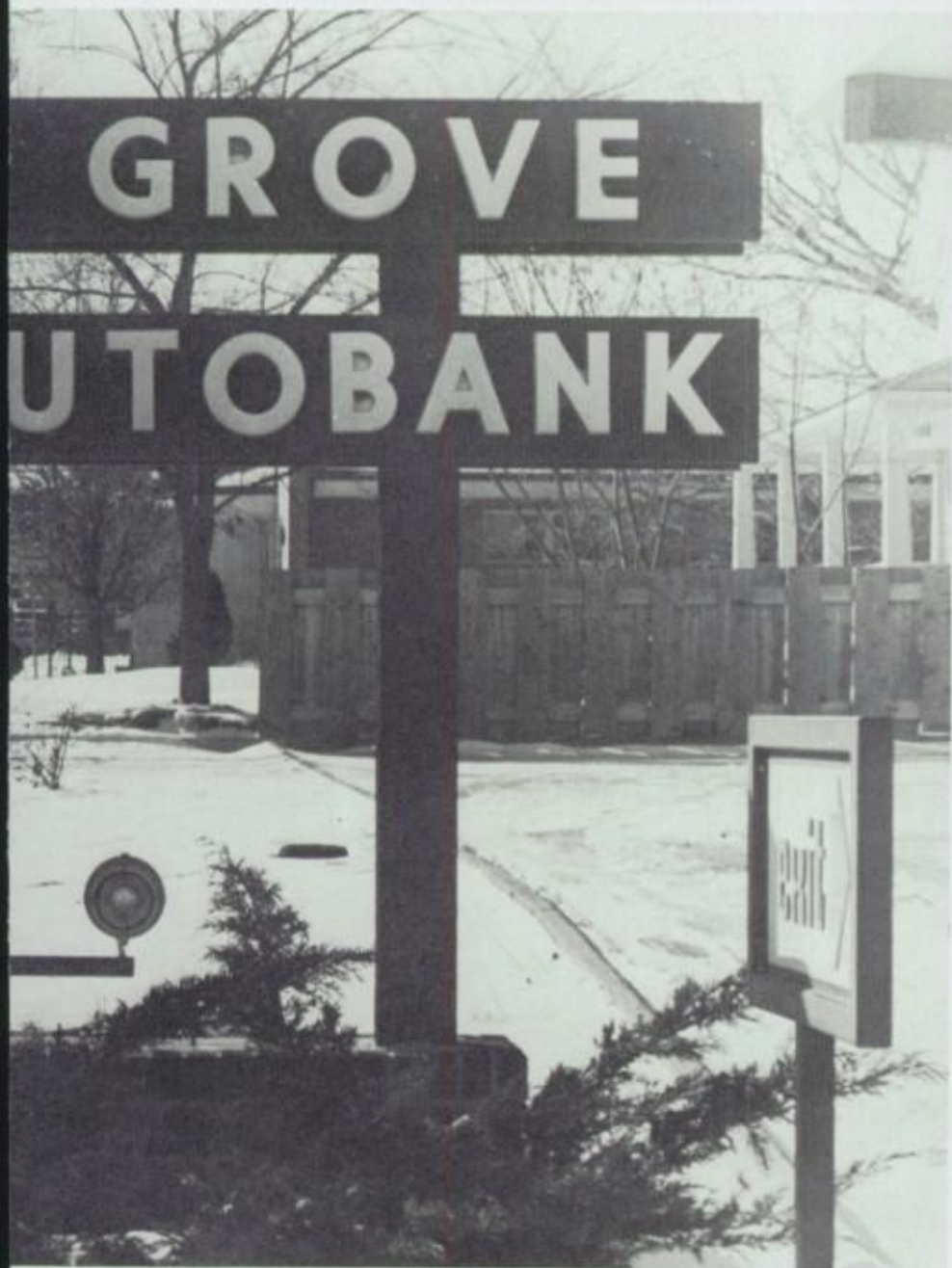
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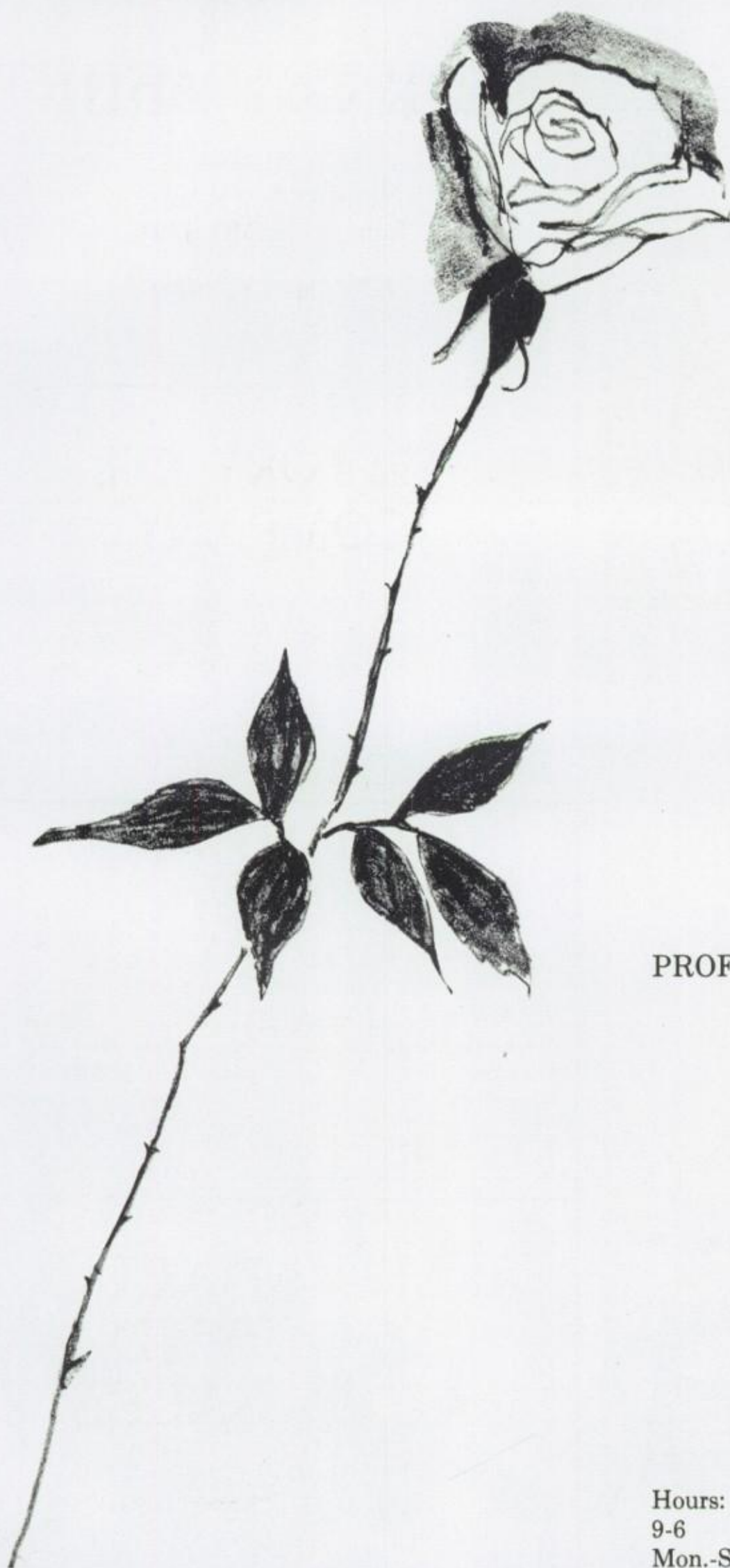
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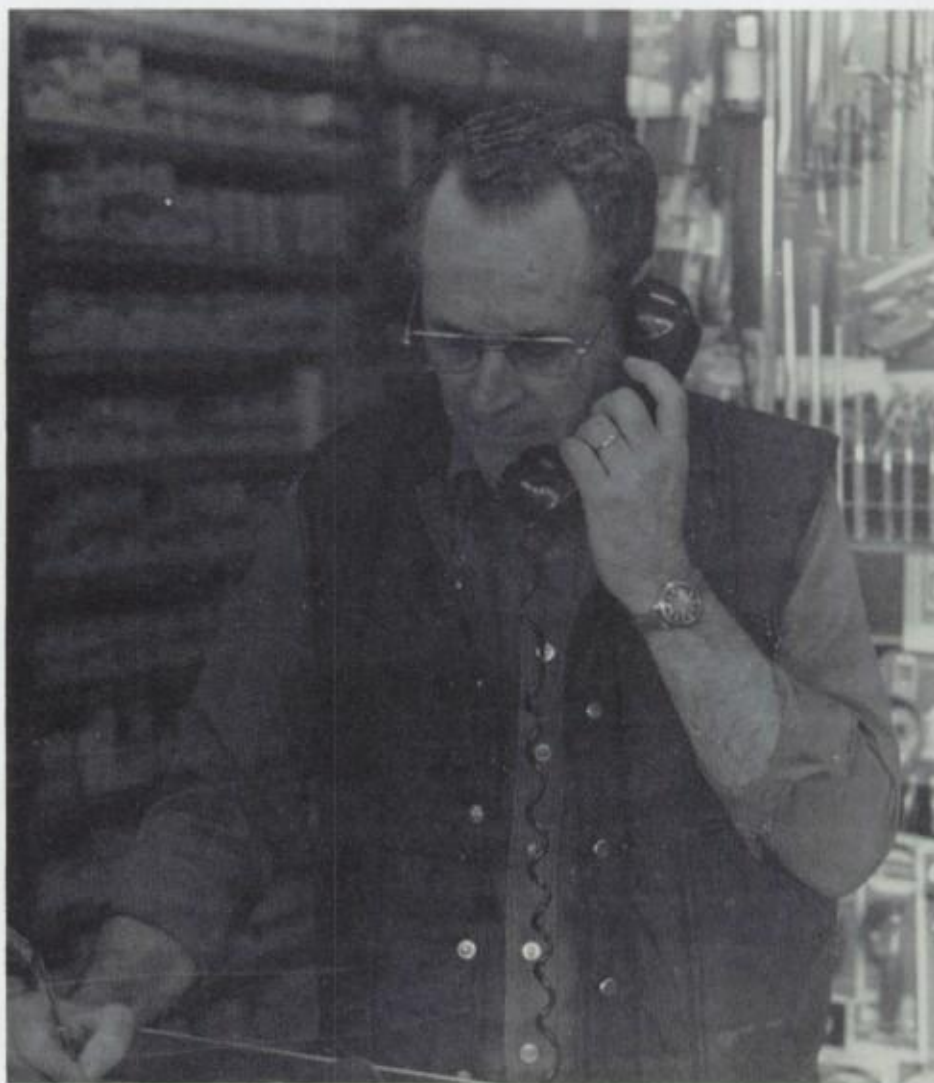
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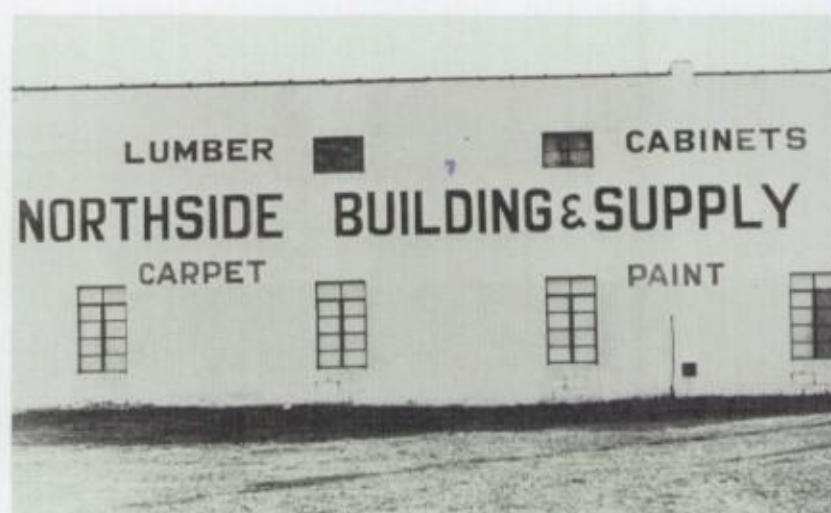
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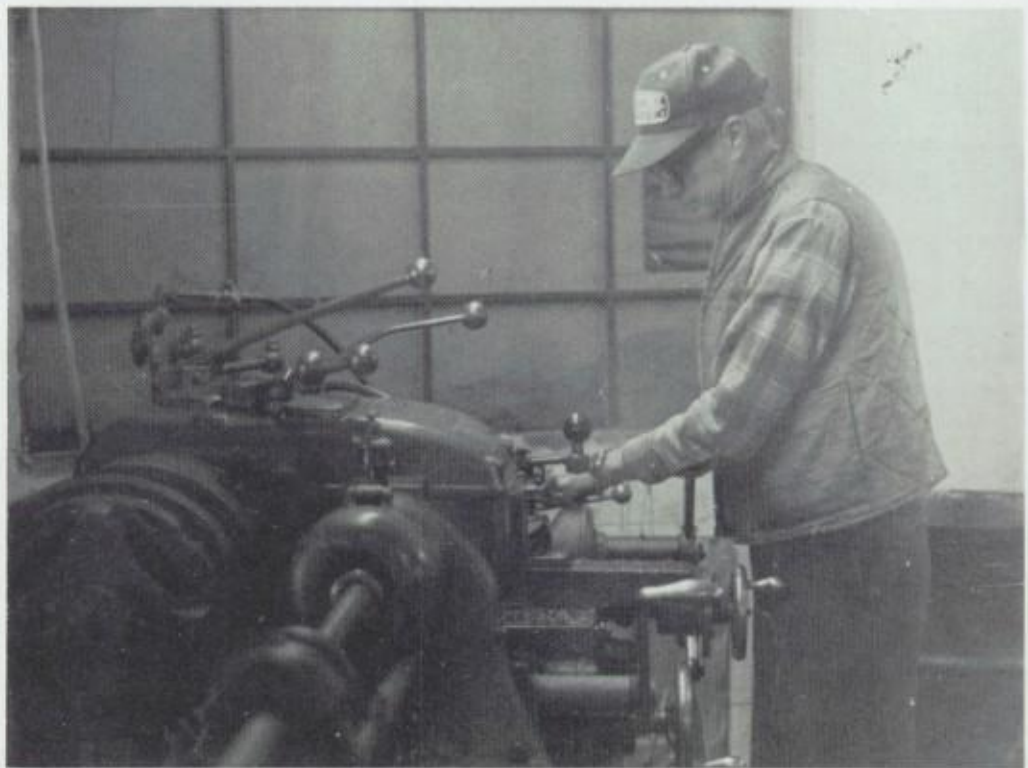
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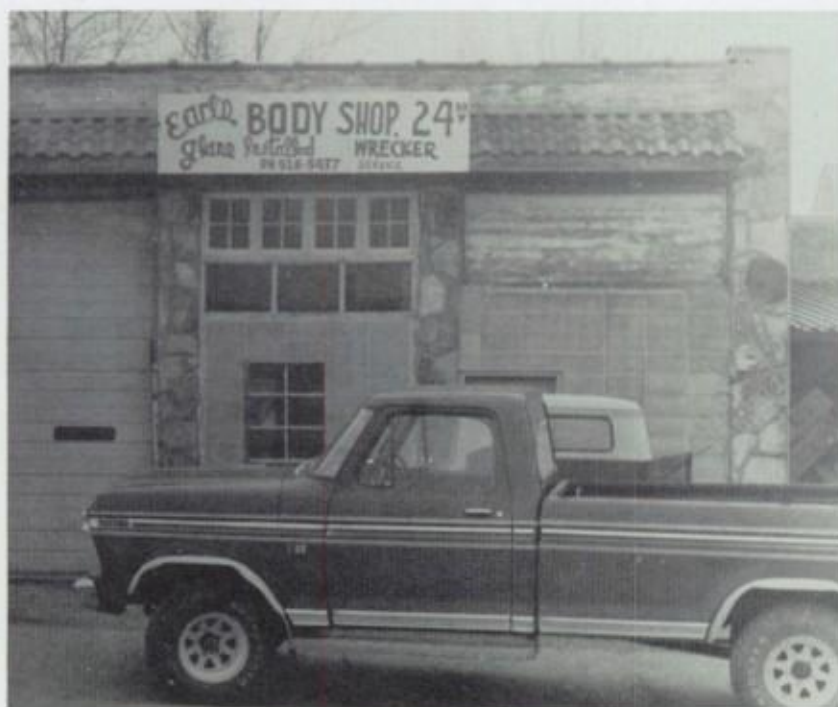
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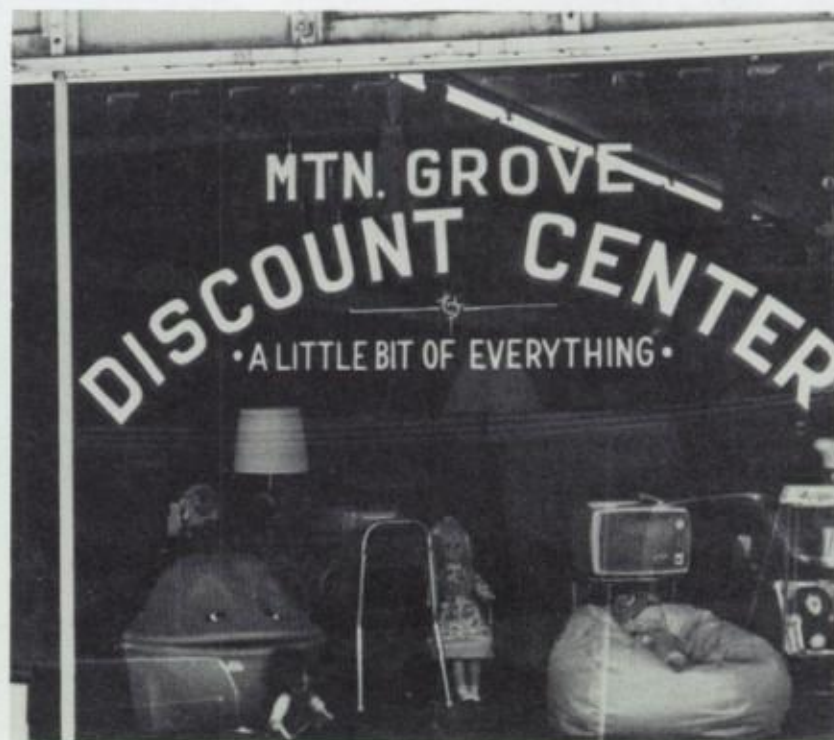
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 ember all the fun we  
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Hi V's, hope to a great high  
 If you need a friend  
 I'm on me love you  
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 To a very neat  
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 may I  
 always treat  
 you kindly and  
 may you get all  
 you go for.  
 may you always  
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To a great person  
 who is always  
 there for me  
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 one more year! Yeah! Stay cool & have fun!  
 Love  
 Norma Zellars  
 very sweet person that  
 you are a  
 I hope you stay  
 always. Lots  
 of luck + love for  
 in life  
 your sister

Violet:

To a real sweet  
 sis.

(some of the times)

Jerry

To Violet  
 to a sweet  
 nice girl I like  
 alot good luck  
 the guys  
 with  
 Debbie  
 83

Love  
 Norma Zellars  
 to a real sweet  
 sis.  
 (some of the times)  
 Jerry

Violet,  
 This is to a real  
 nice person. I hope  
 you'll always be that  
 way. Good luck for the  
 future -  
 Love ya,  
 Jane  
 Messner  
 83

Violet,  
 I hope you stay  
 always. Lots  
 of luck + love for  
 in life  
 your sister



Violet,

you really have alot of damn  
gaul asking me to sign your  
annual - no only joking.

I wish we were better friends  
so I could know something embarrassing  
to you and accidentally hint around about  
it in your annual but since I don't  
I'll make something up like...

"Hey been floating with that Kelly  
Boy lately?"

Seriously your a good friend and  
I wish you the very best life has  
to offer.

Always remember "brainstraining"  
in Trig. Don't beat your husband!

Love and Laughter Always,

Thelissa Nuttall

Violet

To a special girl  
to me. Remember the  
hayride, I had a good  
time. Always count me as  
a friend, please stay sweet.

Love  
Mark  
Branson

To a really sweet  
girl who has alot  
to look forward to.

Love,  
Donnie

Love,  
Candy

He a person I have  
known for a long  
time. I guess you  
never forget the time  
even if you don't  
any more. Good luck  
with Rick I'd hope  
you have a good year  
ahead

Violet,

Violet

He one of the  
craziest girl I like  
you a yound goos  
luck with the boy

Thia  
Shannon

Violet,

to one of the craziest girls  
I know, but we really enjoyed  
having you around. I hope ~~you~~  
you make and always come  
true and if you want them  
badly enough in love they  
will good luck in every thing  
you do.

May God bless you.

Pat  
Jillie



